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35 KILLED, 43 INJURED AFTER MAN RAMS HIS CAR INTO CROWD IN CHINA

Police said the 62-year-old driver, surnamed Fan, had been "triggered by (his) dissatisfaction with the division of property following his divorce"

PEOPLE AT ZHUHAI SPORTS CENTRE TARGETED

According to police, the disgruntled man drove his small SUV into a crowd of people exercising at a sports centre in the Chinese city of Zhuhai, which is hosting a major international military airshow this week. Terming it a "major vicious incident", local police said the horrific incident occurred at 7:48 pm on Monday. The attacker tried to flee but the police nabbed him

ATTACKER SERIOUSLY INJURED, HOSPITALISED

- Responding officers found Fan in his vehicle attempting to self-harm with a knife. They swiftly intervened and sent him to hospital
- Fan is still receiving medical treatment as he was unconscious due to severe injuries to his neck and other areas and is not yet fit to be questioned by the police, state-run Xinhua news agency said | **P12**

Zhuhai

15TH CHINA INT'L AVIATION & AEROSPACE EXHIBITION KICKED OFF ON TUESDAY

CHENNAI ▪ MADURAI ▪ VIJAYAWADA ▪ BENGALURU ▪ KOCHI ▪ HYDERABAD ▪ VISAKHAPATNAM ▪ COIMBATORE ▪ KOZHIKODE ▪ THIRUVANANTHAPURAM ▪ BELAGAVI ▪ BHUBANESWAR ▪ SHIVAMOGGA ▪ MANGALURU ▪ TIRUPATI ▪ TIRUCHY ▪ TIRUNELVELI ▪ SAMBALPUR ▪ HUBBALLI ▪ DHARMAPURI ▪ KOTTAYAM ▪ KANNUR ▪ VILLUPURAM ▪ KOLLAM ▪ TADEPALLIGUDEM ▪ NAGAPATTINAM ▪ THRISSUR ▪ KALABURAGI

High drama as Uddhav's bags checked again by EC officials

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @Mumbai

A day after he accused the Election Commission of India (ECI) of being selective in its searches, Shiv Sena (UBT) chief Uddhav Thackeray said he was subjected to checks for the second straight day on Tuesday, when he arrived in Latur to campaign for the November 20 assembly polls.

Thackeray said officials searched his luggage, like they did on Monday after his helicopter landed at Wani in Yavatmal district.

Tuesday's inspection was carried out by the election officials after the former Maharashtra CM's chopper arrived at a helipad in Ausa of Latur ahead of his rally to be held in Kasar Shirshi village.

According to a video posted on X, Thackeray is heard asking the election staffers why he was being singled out for such searches.

Shiv Sena (UBT) leader Sanjay Raut alleged cash is being exchanged for votes at the behest of BJP-Sena-NCP leaders, but the EC is not acting.

EC officials later confirmed that nothing objectionable was found in Thackeray's bags.

DAY AFTER

TWO MEITEIS CHARRED TO DEATH, 6 MISSING

Given the kinds of weapons recovered and the clothes they wore, we can say that they were either armed militants or armed miscreants

I K Muivah, IGP

KUKI FIAT

No CRPF personnel shall be allowed to leave their camp premises till they apologise, a Kuki student outfit said

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @Guwahati

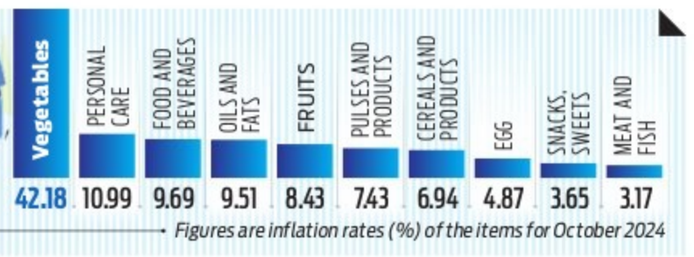
THREE Meitei women and as many children from the same community have been missing from restive Manipur's Jiribam since Monday's gunfight in which 10 Kuki 'militants' were gunned down by the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) and the police.

In Imphal, 13 organisations jointly announced a 24-hour total shutdown in the Imphal valley from 6 pm of Tuesday seeking government intervention to secure the release of the six individuals.

Talking about the Jiribam gunfight, Inspector General of Police I K Muivah said armed miscreants had attacked the Borobekra police station and also a nearby CRPF camp at Jakuradhor on Monday afternoon. "The militants used RPGs and other sophisticated weapons such as AK, INSAS, SLRs. A CRPF jawan was injured in the attack and evacuated to Assam for treatment," Muivah said.

The CRPF retaliated and the firing stopped after about 45 minutes. "About 10 militants were found dead. Two elderly persons were found burned to death while three women and three minor children were found missing," the IGP said, adding the police are trying to trace the six missing persons. The two elderly persons were from the Meitei community.

Protesting the "inhumane actions" of CRPF in Jiribam, the Kuki Students' Organisation issued a "notice" stating that "no CRPF personnel shall be allowed to leave their camp premises." It demanded a thorough and court-monitored probe into the "fake encounter".



Inflation heat breaches RBI's top tolerance level

Retail inflation shoots up to 6.21% in October, dashes rate cut hopes

MONIKA YADAV @New Delhi

THE spectre of inflation has come back to haunt the economy as retail inflation shot up to 6.21% in October, marking the highest level in 14 months, driven by a sharp spike in food prices. This surge was noted in the prices of fruits, vegetables, meat, fish, and cooking oils. Food inflation rose considerably to 10.87% in October, the highest in 15 months, up from 9.24% in September and 6.61% in the same month last year.

In October, the rate of price increases exceeded the Reserve Bank of India's upper limit for acceptable inflation (6%). Rural areas experienced a significant rise in inflation at 6.7%, while urban consumers faced a lower rate of 5.6%. The latest inflation numbers dash any hope of an interest rate cut by the RBI during its monetary policy review in December.

IIP TURNS POSITIVE

India's industrial production grew 3.1% with all three key sectors—mining, manufacturing, and power generation—demonstrating positive trends in September. This is a notable improvement as factory output had dipped to (-) 0.1% in August

Food prices in rural areas increased 10.7% in the month under review, while urban food inflation was even steeper at 11.1%. Meanwhile, inflation for vegetables surged from 36% in September to a five-year high of 42.2% in October. Additionally, edible oil prices rose 9.5%, the biggest jump in two years.

Fruit prices rose 8.4%, while inflation for pulses decreased to 7.4%, ending a 17-month streak of double-digit price increases. On the other hand, spice prices fell 7%. Additionally, in October, households experienced an 11% increase in the costs of personal care products and services, up from 9% in September.

For experts, core inflation remaining below 4% for 11th consecutive month is a big positive. "The surge in vegetable prices was due to uneven rains. Data for November suggests some moderation in vegetable prices. This, in addition to a favourable base, can lend some downside to vegetable inflation," said Dharmakirti Joshi, chief economist, CRISIL.

Truck mows down 2 arguing over accident

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TWO drivers, who were arguing over a road accident standing on the busy Kempegowda International Airport Road, were run over by a cement bulker truck involved in the accident, after a BMTC Volvo bus rammed it. The accident occurred on Monday around 11.25 pm on Bengaluru-Ballari Road flyover opposite Legacy Apartment in Yelahanka traffic police limits.

The deceased have been identified as Jagadish, 40, driver of an SUV, and Kuldeep Kumar, 42, driver of the cement bulker truck.

Police said that around 11.20 pm, the truck rammed the SUV from behind. Drivers of both the vehicles entered into an argument after parking their vehicles in a dangerous manner on the flyover. The BMTC Volvo bus driver, who was proceeding towards the airport from Hebbal, could not apply the brakes due to poor visibility and rammed the cement bulker truck from behind. The truck, which moved forward, mowed down both the drivers. The drivers were standing between the truck and the SUV.

Kuldeep died on the spot, while Jagadish died on the way to a nearby hospital.

EXPRESS READ

B'desh seeks Interpol help to arrest Hasina

DHAKA: A special tribunal in Bangladesh on Tuesday asked Interpol to issue a red-corner notice for the arrest of ousted PM Sheikh Hasina in connection with the deaths of protesters during the mass uprising against her.

CANADA CONSULAR EVENT CANCELLED

The Brampton Triveni temple in Canada cancelled a consular event after the police warned them of an "extremely high" threat level of violent protests | **P10**

Carbon market deal done? Experts wary

S V KRISHNA CHAITANYA

EXPRESS IN BAKU

Yalchin Rafiyev

GAME-CHANGING TOOL: COP29

"This will be a game-changing tool to direct resources to the developing world and help us save up to $250 billion a year when implementing our climate plans," said Yalchin Rafiyev, Azerbaijan's Dy foreign minister and COP29 lead negotiator

THE United Nations Climate Conference (COP29) presidency has claimed early success with the adoption of standards for carbon credits, referred to as Article 6.4 of the Paris Agreement, a long-debated framework designed to help nations collaborate on reducing carbon emissions. But, critics say it was pushed without adequate scrutiny and would lead to greenwashing as there are not enough safeguards.

Yalchin Rafiyev, COP29 lead negotiator, told the media, "This will be a game-changing tool to direct resources to the developing world."

However, Harjeet Singh, Global Engagement Director for the Fossil Fuel Non-Proliferation Treaty Initiative, disagreed. "Fast-tracking carbon market rules at the start of COP29 sets a troubling precedent. Rushed rules open the door to weak, false 'solutions' that will only delay real climate action."

Article 6 offers two options for trading: countries can enter into bilateral agreements and set their own rules, or participate in a United Nations-supervised market open to all.

This UN supervised carbon market, in which the credit price will be fixed by the market players but embedded with third party accreditation, has several loopholes. Critics argue that the benefits of Article 6 are far from guaranteed, as they could result in human rights abuses and 'greenwashing', in which polluters can claim environmental progress without reducing emissions.

However, Martin Hession, Vice-Chair of the Article 6.4 of the Supervisory Body, told this newspaper, "There are enough safeguards to thwart greenwashing. Third party verification is integral. But, individual countries must also ensure the quality of credits."

On Article 6, India expects to conclude the deal. It hopes COP29 would be able to agree to a mechanism which uses market-based instruments (such as carbon credits) to incentivise low-carbon development.

Poll officials leave the mustering centre at JMJ High School in Shiggaon on Tuesday | x

Bypoll today: Women have a say in Sandur, Ch'patna

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @Bengaluru

WOMEN voters will play a crucial role in deciding the fate of the candidates in two of the three Assembly constituencies in the state, where byelections will be held on Wednesday. For, their numbers are much higher than male voters. Polling will be held from 7 am to 6 pm.

According to data from the State Election Commission's office, Channapatana constituency has 1.20 lakh women voters as against 1.12 lakh men. Sandur has 1,18,437 women as against 1,17,939 men. However, Shiggaon has more male voters.

In the 2023 Assembly elections, Union Minister and former CM HD Kumaraswamy contested against CP Yogeshwara (then BJP candidate) and won by a margin of 15,000 votes in Channapatna constituency. With 8,000 more women voters than men, Congress is hoping that they will back the party based on its guarantee schemes.

Transport Minister Ramalinga Reddy, who is in-charge of Ramanagara district, expressed confidence that the Congress government's Gruhalakshmi, Shakti, Annabhagya and Gruha Jyothi schemes have helped women manage their finances well. **P4**

Victoria Hospital, 1st in South to adopt Virtopsy

RAKSHITH GOWDA @Bengaluru

VICTORIA Hospital here will soon adopt Virtopsy, also known as virtual autopsy, to examine bodies without cutting them open. Virtual autopsy uses scanning technology, especially a CT scanner, to scan the body. The images are then processed to a 3D visual representation of organs.

Victoria will become the first government hospital in South India to adopt this technology. Currently, AIIMS in New Delhi and NEIGRIHMS in Meghalaya perform virtual autopsies. St John's Medical College Hospital in the city is the only private hospital to have this facility in South India.

A top official from Victoria Hospital said that the process of adopting this technology is nearing completion and the Department of Medical Education is keen on introducing virtual autopsy. Over 3,000 postmortems are conducted in Victoria Hospital every year. Virtual autopsy helps in examining the bodies faster. In the initial phase, virtual autopsy will be used in road accident and accidental fall cases as they typically have bone fractures.

"Also, in most road accident cases, people will be under treatment before succumbing to injuries. In such cases, generally there won't be any foul play, which needs a detailed examination to find out the reasons for the death," the official said.

However, murder, suicide and dowry death cases require conventional autopsy methods. "As technology has improved and there is accuracy in virtual autopsy, we can adopt it even to examine murder and suicide cases," the official said.

A source said in the past, there was opposition to body incisions as some religious beliefs do not support them. However, doctors have to perform autopsies as per law. This technology can make the process less traumatic for families of the dead. Additionally, virtual autopsy can help in research and doctors are in favour of it, he added.

8 officials raided, ₹22.5 cr assets found

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THE Lokayukta police on Tuesday conducted simultaneous raids on 37 places of eight state government officials across the state and found assets to the tune of Rs 22.5 crore disproportionate to their known sources of income.

The assets included sites, houses and land worth Rs17.84 crore, Rs 66.7 lakh in cash, jewels worth Rs 1.66 crore, and vehicles worth Rs 1.44 crore.

The accused are Vittal Shivappa Dhavaleshwar, Village Administrative Officer, Revenue Department, Bore Gaon, Nippani taluk of Belagavi district; Venkatesh S Majumdar, Assistant Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Commercial Tax Department, Koramangala, Bengaluru; Kashinath Buddappa Bhajantri, Assistant Engineer, Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation Sub-Division, Hirekeruru, Haveri; Kamal Raj PH, Assistant Director, Commerce and Industries Department, District Industrial Centre, Karuru, Davanagere; Raveendra Kumar, Deputy Director (Deputy Tehsildar), District Training Centre, Bidar; Nagesh D, Public Relations Officer, Mysuru City Corporation, Mysuru; Prakash V, Divisional Mechanical Engineer (retired), KSRTC, Ramanagara; and Govindappa Hanumanthappa Bhajantri, Assistant Secretary, Karnataka Industrial Areas Development Board, Lakkamanahalli, Dharwad.

Prakash owned assets worth Rs4.26 crore. They included immovable assets worth Rs3.97 crore, including 8 sites, 6 houses, 6 acres land, and movable assets worth Rs28.17 lakh, including jewellery worth Rs15 lakh. **P5**

British era mining tunnel unearthed in Sandur forests

The tunnel that was discovered recently in Sandur forests of Ballari district

AMIT S UPADHYE @Ballari

A team of experts involved in tracing early human habitations in the forests of Sandur in Ballari district recently stumbled upon a 200-year-old one-km tunnel of the British era. There are many big and small caves in the forests of Sandur and the team launched its study sometime ago. The team led by Prof Ravi Korishettar, honorary director of Archeological Pre-History Museum, and noted wildlife experts Samad Kottur and Santosh Martin from Ballari discovered the tunnel.

The team is assisted by officials from the forest department. Local forest guards were aware of an opening of a tunnel-like structure, but did not venture into it.

On Sunday, the team managed to cover about 100 metres inside the tunnel. According to the team, as one proceeds, the height of the tunnel decreases and it is close to four feet at some places. There is a large opening at the entrance to the tunnel, which looks like a cave.

"Not much information is available locally on the tunnel, which is atop the Devadari Hills. It's possible that the tunnel was made during the British regime to explore iron ore. Experts in the mining field may throw more light on it. It is interesting to see the tunnel at 900 metres above the sea level," a team member said.

ALMANAC TODAY
• **Wednesday:** 13.11.2024 • **Year:** Krodhi • **Ayana:** Dakshinayana
• **Ritu:** Sharad • **Masa:** Karthika • **Paksha:** Shukla • **Tithi:** Dwadasi 9.50 am
• **Nakshatra:** Revathi 1.36 am • Moon in Mesha Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 12:00 pm to 01:30pm
• **Gulikakala:** 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • **Yamaganda:** 07:30 am to 09:00 am

WEATHER | MIN 20°C | MAX 24°C
FORECAST Strong thunderstorms

Sunrise 06.17 am | Sunset 05.50 pm | Moonrise 03.42 pm | Moonset 03.27 am

JANATHA DARSHAN

ENCROACHMENTS, GARBAGE... PLAINTS PILE ON GIRINATH

Tells officials to give priority to plaints on Sahay

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COMPLAINTS of unauthorised constructions, encroachment of footpaths, unauthorised borewells on the roadside and a host of other issues welcomed Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath during his Janatha Darshan in Bengaluru's South Zone on Tuesday.

Girinath listened to over 50 grievances personally and directed officials to take action. "Officers must give priority to complaints received through Sahay 2.0 software and take appropriate steps to resolve the problems within deadline," said Girinath.

Residents complained of unauthorised buildings, encroachment of footpaths near GT Mall off Magadi Road, dumping of waste on the roadside at Kumaraswamy Layout, clogging of drains, construction of a building in the buffer zone next to Rajakaluve on Hampinagar Pipeline Road in Vijayanagar and other issues.

Girinath directed officials to take action against buildings that have been built by altering the building approval plan or have no plan at all. He also sought action against Rajakaluve encroachments.

He said Palike officials should deal strictly with owners of empty plots, where garbage is being dumped. "The owners should be issued notices to clean their plots immediately. If they do not comply, the corporation should clean these sites and recover the cost from the owners. Officials should ensure that waste is not dumped again in these plots," he said.

He also asked officials to attend to residents' complaints on dangerous trees, footpath encroachments and use of banned single-use plastic. He instructed BBMP marshals to patrol and fine those throwing garbage.

On commercial establishments carrying Kannada name boards with mistakes, he said officials should ensure that shopkeepers use proper Kannada without mistakes. He also instructed officials to provide a permanent solution to the problem of garbage being dumped on both sides of the road near Banashankari Temple.

BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath during a Janatha Darshan in South Zone on Tuesday

Process to grant e-khata to be simplified

Bengaluru: To simplify and strengthen the process of giving approval for e-khata in rural areas, the state government will soon constitute task force coordination committees comprising officials from the revenue and rural development and panchayat raj departments. A press release from the RDPR Minister Priyank Kharge's office stated that Revenue Minister Krishna Byre Gowda will convene a meeting in this regard on Wednesday. On Tuesday, Kharge convened a meeting of RDPR officials, where he stated that in gram panchayat limits, especially on their outskirts, many schools, industries and residential complexes have come up. Most of these properties do not come under panchayat limits. This has resulted in panchayats unable to collect taxes from them. Kharge said there is a need to strengthen gram panchayats financially. Hence, the process of issuing e-khata has to be simplified and made hassle free. "If task force committees are constituted, it will be easy to make the process hassle free and effective," he added. **ENS**

HOW TO GET YOUR e-KHATA

Property owners have to submit a set of documents to BangaloreOne centres to obtain e-khatas from the BBMP. They are:

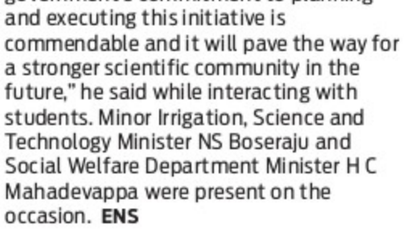
- Property tax receipt
- Sale or registered deed
- Aadhaar card
- Bescom bill
- BWSSB bill
- Layout or site approval by BDA or Planning Authority
- Building plan approval by BBMP
- DC conversion
- Allotment letter by Bengaluru Development Authority, or Karnataka Housing Board, or any government authority

FEES
₹45 to the BangaloreOne Centre plus ₹5 per page for scanning
₹125 to the BBMP (only when the final e-Khata is ready for print)

THOSE WITHOUT AADHAAR

Property owners who have Aadhaar can get e-Khata by submitting any one of these documents to the office of the assistant revenue officer

- Passport • Driving Licence • Voter ID Card
- An identity document with a photograph in lieu of Aadhaar
- This option is only available in-person at present



OTHER REQUIREMENTS
- Registered deed number
- Property tax SAS number
- Bescom 10-digit AC ID (optional for vacant plots)

ISRO Chairman Dr S Somanath interacts with students at a programme on Tuesday. Minor Irrigation, Science and Technology Minister NS Boseraju and Social Welfare Minister H C Mahadevappa look on | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

833 residential schools get telescopes

Bengaluru: Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) Chairman S Somanath on Tuesday lauded the state government for its efforts to encourage scientific temperament among schoolchildren by distributing telescopes to residential schools. At a programme organised by the science and technology and social welfare departments to distribute 833 telescopes, he emphasised that such projects, designed to spark interest in science and technology among young minds, are essential to inspire the next generation of space enthusiasts. Early exposure to space exploration could open doors to new possibilities for students, he added. "The government's commitment to planning and executing this initiative is commendable and it will pave the way for a stronger scientific community in the future," he said while interacting with students. Minor Irrigation, Science and Technology Minister NS Boseraju and Social Welfare Department Minister H C Mahadevappa were present on the occasion. **ENS**

Experts hope SC ruling sets tone for disabled accessibility

AKNISREE KARTHIK
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BENGALURU-based Association for People with Disabilities (APD), working for equal access and opportunity for persons with disabilities, has welcomed the Supreme Court's November 8 ruling directing the Centre to establish "mandatory" accessibility standards at public places for people with disabilities within three months.

APD was among the 50 organisations that shared inputs with the Centre for Disability Studies (CDS) at NALSAR University, appointed by the SC to prepare a report on the steps governments should take to make accessibility a reality for the disabled. Experts now hope that the apex court ruling sets the tone for accessibility across all public spaces in India.

"Earlier, the norm was reasonable accommodation, ie. persons with disabilities would need to request the establishment to make changes for them without causing 'undue burden'. Now the SC ruling has made accessibility a mandatory component, which means inclusion through accessibility can be claimed as an enforceable right," said Bhumika Modh, part of the Yes to Access Project, Association of People with Disability.

"What makes this judgment important is that the SC has now interpreted the right to accessibility as a 'foundational' right, a cornerstone for all fundamental rights for persons with disabilities," Bhumika said.

Centre for Disability Studies Head Dr Amita Dhanda said, "For accessibility to become a reality, the government needs to create compulsory rules that have to be followed. By holding the government accountable for not establishing these rules, the SC has strengthened the accessibility mandate, setting the stage for an enforceable minimum standard to ensure accessibility for all."

This judgement has, therefore, laid the foundation on which the disability sector can firmly build an edifice of rights, Dr Dhanda said.

"The system needs to understand that each disability presents unique challenges and minimum standards must reflect that. It is encouraging to see disability inclusion on the agenda, but how the government will implement these changes remains to be seen. We are hoping for real, thoughtful steps that will make accessing essential services possible and dignified for all of us," said Ashmira Hamirani, a person with visual impairment.

Healthcare saw major reforms in past 10 years: HDK

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UNION Minister for Heavy Industries and Steel HD Kumaraswamy said a major revolution has taken place to build a healthy India in the last ten years under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

Delivering the convocation address at the graduation ceremony of the 14th batch (2023) of Rajarajeswari Medical College here on Tuesday, he said, "In the past decade, numerous reforms have been introduced in the healthcare sector, including the Ayushman Bharat scheme, which is the largest healthcare programme in the world, covering 500 million people. Additionally, several other unique programmes have been implemented by the Modi government, such as the Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana, PM Atmanirbhar Swasth Bharat Yojana, Digital Health Mission, Mission Indradhanush and the establishment of Jan Aushadhi centres."

The former chief minister said India has witnessed a transformative change in the healthcare sector over the past 10 years. "Quality healthcare services are now available to the common man at affordable rates."

The medical field is of paramount importance and highly esteemed as doctors not only safeguard an individual's health but the health of the entire nation, Kumaraswamy said, calling upon students to serve society as responsible and compassionate doctors.

EXPRESS READ

Prof Thimmappa, former BU VC and registrar, passes away

Prof M S Thimmappa, who served as vice-chancellor and registrar of Bangalore University, passed away at a private hospital in the city on Tuesday. He was 83. As a professor of psychology, he taught thousands of students, guided numerous doctoral and MPhil students, and led the Department of Psychology for many years. Thimmappa was undergoing treatment after falling in his bedroom last month and suffering a brain injury. He was also undergoing treatment for prostate cancer over the past year and his health had deteriorated due to high blood sugar and other conditions. Due to the severity of the injury and his other health conditions, it became difficult for him to withstand further treatment, including surgery, said Prof Romate John, Thimmappa's long-time associate. He lost his only daughter in 2000 and his wife in 2007 and had been living alone since his retirement. John said, "Thimmappa was known for his dynamic personality and warmheartedness." His last rites were held at Chamrajpet crematorium. **ENS**

Water supply to be shut down for two hours tomorrow

The Bengaluru Water Supply and Sewerage Board (BWSSB) will shut down water supply between 10.30 am and 12.30 pm to all stages of the Cauvery Water Supply Project on Thursday. This is to carry out urgent repair works to replace the 220 KV high-level Bus GOS and other equipment on the 220 KV power line flowing from the Vrushabhati 220 KV power plant to the Tataguni power plant. The board has asked residents to store enough water as a precaution. **ENS**

Digital agri innovations at Krishi Mela from Nov 14-17

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THE University of Agriculture of Sciences, Bengaluru, will host the annual Krishi Mela on the theme 'Climate Smart Digital Agriculture' from November 14 to 17.

Some of the major attractions of this year's mela will be demonstrations on integrated farming system, precision farming, newly released crop varieties, including the ones suitable for dry farming, horticulture crops and organic farming as well as testing and storage of sowing seeds and information on marketing.

Speaking to media persons here on Tuesday, UAS Vice-Chancellor Dr S V Suresha said 19 new technologies related to crop improvement, crop production and protection and agricultural engineering will be released for inclusion in the package of practises.

Apart from expert panels on sustainable farming practises, a Krishi bot, a battery operated smart farming assistant which is capable of precise seeding and fertilisation, will be demonstrated at the Krishi Mela.

He said over 700 stalls will be set up with displays and live demonstrations. "Visitors can explore comprehensive farming, beekeeping, medicinal plants, pest control and post-harvest equipment. They can interact with farmers sharing insights on sustainable farming," he said. A special tour of the crop museum will be held for children with special needs.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar will inaugurate the mela. The V-C said last year, they recorded over 17 lakh visitors, and this year, the numbers are expected to go up.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

13th November : Venus, planet of love, is in a vivacious, generous frame of mind. It seems to me that we're moving into a period when many of us will be opening our hearts to new friends, keen to expand our social circles and experience fresh emotions. It's a time to welcome strangers into our lives.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Tempers at home may well fray, but there's no reason why you should be responsible. Don't let other people pin the blame on you, as they are all too prone to do at times like this. But don't be so impatient that you plant the seeds of future troubles.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
I am sorry my stars for the week are tending to the gloomy side, but I'm only the messenger! However, the real problems could be that you worry too much, even when there's nothing to worry about. The good news today is that at least you can now talk to people about what must be done next.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Each and every planetary movement is exerting a subtle effect on your entire consciousness. Mars, for example, is pulling the carpet from under your feet. Saturn is encouraging you to pause for thought. It's therefore time to give controversial projects a break.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
You're in quite a strong situation for once. Current planetary influences strengthen your position; a useful factor considering the generally petulant and combative state of the heavens. There is no reason to expect other people to share your beliefs, by the way.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
Venus advocates domestic entertaining and family harmony, but Pluto has other ideas. Watch any tendency to push people to the limit, or to stretch yourself too far for that matter. It will only be possible to go to extremes if you take the necessary safeguards.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
It's an idealistic moment, one when everything centres on your most deeply-held principles. And to continue one Virgoan theme, it is extremely likely that you're going to get involved in a worthwhile charitable activity. I can see many of you rattling those collecting tins.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
You can spare a little extra time for work and other worldly ambitions at the moment. Play your cards right over the next forty-eight hours and cash rewards could be your ultimate prize. Take each step as it comes, and pause to think again as soon as you feel that doubts are emerging.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Although you appear to be caught in the cross fire at the moment, you may bring agreement to troubled quarters. No doubt you are annoyed by others' tendency to disagree, but there's no urgency for you to get involved. Neither is there any reason to clear up other people's mess!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Everything that I've said about your financial situation should now be coming to a head. Today is the perfect time to deal with money, whether you're shifting millions of pounds from one continent to another, or merely after a bargain at the corner shop.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Do take notice of what partners have to say today. Even if they are apparently not making sense, their assorted statements will be relevant to the somewhat strained mood of the times. Next week should be more relaxed! Until then, keep an eye on wayward children.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Although you appear to have gone way over the top lately, there is a case to be made for partners to be grateful. After all, others should thank you for shaking them up and making them look at their lives anew. As it happens, it's also a perfect moment for keeping fit.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
You seem to be caught up in a complex and emotionally disturbing situation, but the good point is that the stars are on your side. You might even enjoy the prospect of getting to know someone closer. They, for their part, could be charmed by your seductive wiles.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle ⬇

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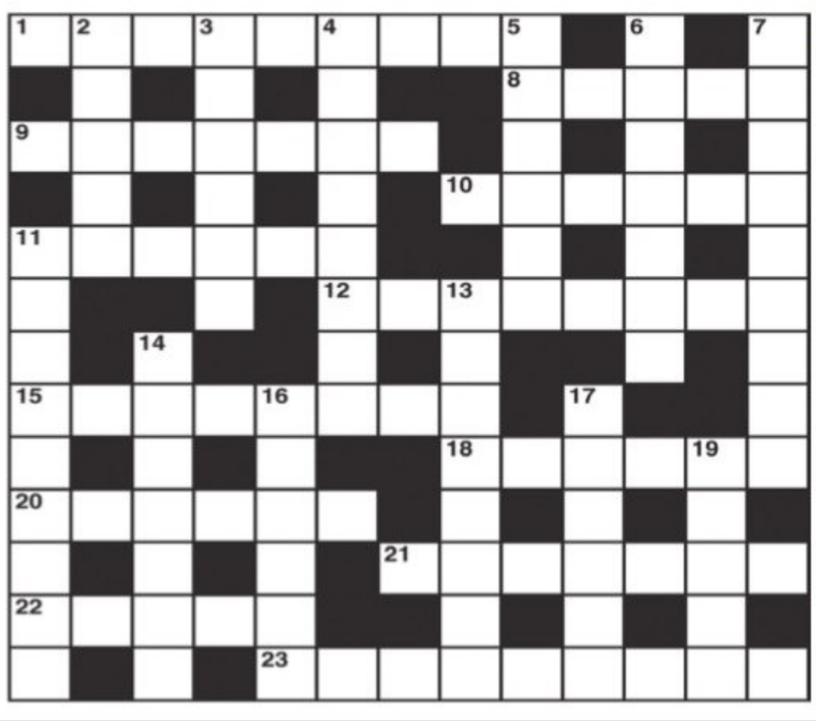
TEST YOUR NUMBER CRUNCHING SKILL WITH OUR UNIQUE PUZZLE

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.



CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Donkey left in very good pasture (9)
8 Our party is being held for scent (5)
9 Some deficiency apparently in tune quality (7)
10 The very thing is left out (6)
11 Lower construction of French base (6)
12 What's more it's a sincere conversion (8)
15 Draw up and turn gun on US top brass (8)
18 Loud Verdi composition full of fire and passion (6)
20 They sit for qualifications (6)
21 Odd way to go from place to place (7)
22 Unearth very little evidence (5)
23 Very pleased with the lamp indeed (9)

DOWN
2 Scope for cookery (5)
3 A pay-off that is succeeding (6)
4 A number making a living in education (8)
5 He tries to prevent ill feeling (6)
6 Finished with lass in Ireland (7)
7 Held out even with the head cut off (9)
11 Change of speed leads to speed which is reckless (9)
13 Paper thrown at the match (8)
14 Single transaction that's less than perfect (7)
16 Didn't deny it's a selfish characteristic (6)
17 Bather in difficulty may get out of it (6)
19 One loses one's head when in a corner (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Amazing, 4 Poach, 7 Lien, 8 Grasping, 10 Spirit lamp, 12 Bridle, 13 Ascend, 15 Impoverish, 18 Consumes, 19 Limb, 20 Ridge, 21 Raiment.

Down: 1 Atlas, 2 Aperitif, 3 Girdle, 4 Past master, 5 Axis, 6 Haggard, 9 Fieldmouse, 11 Definite, 12 Bouncer, 14 Coheir, 16 Habit, 17 Enid.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

ZSYET

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In what language would you like your receipt?
Are you kidding?
You know we're not tourists, right?
This side is in English.
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

" ____ , " ____

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: WITCH GRAND GROGGY HELMET
Answer: The morning moisture on the ground made it easy to track the animal heading — "DEW" NORTH

A 28-year-old software engineer hanged herself at her house at North Bank village in Srirangapatna taluk on Monday night. The police said that Kumari, who was working as a software engineer in a reputed firm in Bengaluru, hanged herself from a ceiling fan of her room in the first floor of the house. KRS police have registered a case

FOREST DEPT FILES FIR AGAINST PRODUCER OF YASH-STARRER *TOXIC*, HMT & BANK OFFICIALS

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

THE state forest department has registered an FIR against KVN Monster Mind Creations, producer of Kannada movie Toxic, which stars Yash. It also names general managers of HMT and Canara Bank for felling trees and changing the land use of notified reserve forest in Peenya, Survey No. 2.

The FIR was registered on November 9 after the additional chief judicial magistrate issued orders on November 6. The FIR, a copy of which is with The New Indian Express, states that the movie team, flouting the Karnataka Forest Act 1963, axed trees, levelled the land and destroyed the natural habitat. The FIR was filed after Forest, Environment and Ecology Minister Eshwar Khandre visited the area on October 29. He had directed forest officials to take action and they later issued a notice to the movie team, and shooting had been stopped.

Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bengaluru Urban, N Ravindrakumar told *TNIE*, "It is not just about chopping of trees, but also habitat destruction. The land has been altered. The habitat of smaller flora and fauna have been cleared using earthmovers over the last few months. Century-old trees have been axed. The land is a reserve forest and action has been taken as per the Forest Conservation Act."

Bengaluru is facing rising temperatures and the menace of monkeys and bats. It is because of destruction of natural habitats like this, and these animals have nowhere to go, he added.

Around 20 acres of land was cleared by the film production company to put up the set for the film. The land was sold by HMT to Canara Bank, which further leased it for film shooting. This is part of 599 acres of land, which is being claimed by both the state government and HMT, a public sector undertaking. The case is being heard by the Supreme Court.

The land lies in Peenya and Jalahalli and is said to be worth over Rs 10,000 crore. "HMT had started selling parcels of the land to various government and private agencies since 1997, including ISRO, GAIL and private builders," forest officials said. A senior forest official said, "We are still tabulating the total number of trees axed. Using Google images, base maps and survey records, the change in land use was assessed and captured, before filing the complaint. Proceedings under Section 64(A) of the Karnataka Forest Act have started. In earlier cases, even before the forest department started filing cases, people in the area approached courts and obtained stay orders. To avoid such legal tangles this time, we got the FIR registered after obtaining the magistrate's orders."

Khandre said, "The FIR has been registered based on inquiry reports. Action will be taken. The forest land has been destroyed and there is no question of allowing shooting of the film Toxic to continue in the area."

BREATHER

'Vote for Modi' on invite: HC stays proceedings against man, printer

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A STRANGE case of a man printing his wedding card with the message, "The gift that you would give me in the marriage is a vote for Narendra Modi", and the election flying squad filing a criminal case against him for violating the poll rules during the 2024 parliamentary elections, came up before the Karnataka High Court.

Justice M Nagaprasanna passed the interim order of stay after hearing the petition filed by the man, Shivaprasad, and Balakrishna A, printer of the invitation card, from Dakshina Kannada district. The petition by the accused questioned the crime registered by

the flying squad at the Uppinangady police station.

Issuing notices to the Uppinangady police and flying squad of the Sullia Assembly constituency, the court said the petitioners are alleged of a strange offence.

The petition stated that Shivaprasad printed the invitation card of his wedding with the postscript that was said to be an offence under Section 127A (restriction on the printing of pamphlets, posters, etc.) of the Representation of the People Act, 1951. The petitioner contended that the magistrate permitted the flying squad to file the complaint without following the due procedure and application of mind.

The petitioner's counsel argued that the documents appended to the petition demonstrated that the invitation was printed long before the elections were declared and it would not make an offence under Section 127A of the Act. Such Acts are required to be in operation only during the election and not prior, he argued.

The court said that there should be an interim stay of all further proceedings in the case till December 12, the next date of hearing.

4 held for robbing foreign nationals, stabbing one

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FOUR men have been arrested by the Bagalakunte police for forcibly entering the house of three foreign nationals during a robbery and stabbing one of them with a knife.

The arrested are Abhishek, Ahmed, Bharath and Shreyas, all aged between 26 and 28 and residents of Bagalakunte. The police said on October 23, the four followed the foreign nationals and forcibly entered their house in Doreswami Palya. They threatened the trio with a knife and demanded their cash and gold chains. When the foreigners refused, Abhishek allegedly stabbed one of them with a knife. The accused then robbed the trio of their mobile phones, an 11-gram gold chain and Rs 5,500 in cash. The foreign national escaped with minor injuries and filed a complaint with the police.

Based on CCTV footage and other evidence, the police arrested the four miscreants in the first week of November. The four have been booked under Section 311 (robbery, dacoity or causing death or grievous hurt) of the BNS. All the stolen items have been recovered.

MAKES ONE CRY!

A large quantity of onion discarded owing to a drop in sales caused by the recent price hike at APMC Yard in Bengaluru on Tuesday | ALLEN EGENUSE J

Home-alone woman's murder: Son, nephew held

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THE murder of a 44-year-old home-alone woman on November 8 in Hongasandra has been solved with the arrest of her son and nephew. The arrested are Umesh, the victim's younger son, and Suresh, her nephew.

The woman, Jayamma, is said to have sold a property recently and refused to give a share to Umesh, an autorickshaw driver, which is said to be the reason for the murder. Her elder son stays in Anekal and is a driver with the KSRTC. Jayamma from Tamil Nadu was staying in a rented house in the city and was a small-time financier.

Around 8 pm on November 8, Umesh went to his mother's house and picked a fight with her for not giving him money. In the heated argument, he punched her face and strangled her to death. The incident came to light the next day when the building owner saw the front door's of Jayamma's house open. Suresh has been arrested for helping Umesh commit the murder.

The Bommanahalli police have registered a case.

CRIME PATROL

Man gets 20-year jail for raping minor girl

KALABURAGI : Additional District and Sessions Court (POCSO Court) in Kalaburagi has convicted a man to 20 years of imprisonment and slapped a fine of Rs 28,000 on him for raping a minor, according to special public prosecutor Shantveer B Tuppad. In a press note, Tuppad said that in a village coming under the jurisdiction of Mahagaon police station limits, Shivanand had been harassing a minor girl for the past two years and used to persuade her to love him and that he would later marry her. On March 11, 2022, when the girl was on her way to work, Shivanand stopped her and forcibly took her on his motorbike to Umarga town of Maharashtra and from there, he took the girl to Mumbai in a bus. In Mumbai, he took a room on rent at Belapur locality and sexually assaulted her from March 12 to December 11. The girl managed to escape from Mumbai and returned home. Based on the complaint from her parents, Mahagaon police registered the FIR. ENS

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ASSEMBLY BY ELECTION 2024 DECIDE

Staff deployed for election duty leave for their respective polling booths in Archakarahalli in Channapatna, Ramanagara district, on Tuesday. The constituency, along with Shiggaon and Sandur, will see polling on Wednesday | PIC: X HANDLE OF THE CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, KARNATAKA

BIG TURNOUT EXPECTED ON BIG DAY IN CH'PATNA

- In 2023 Assembly elections, the constituency saw around 80% voting
- NDA's Nikhil Kumaraswamy to take on Cong's Yogeshwara in tight contest

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CHANNAPATNA is poised for a monumental day as it braces for an unprecedented flood of voters surging into polling booths on Wednesday. The air is electric, with every household seemingly locked into this fiercely contested race, fuelling predictions of a historic turnout. With stakes extremely high, parties have unleashed an unparalleled mobilisation campaign, reaching every corner and rallying even the smallest clusters of voters.

In 2023, Channapatna with around 2.3 lakh voters saw around 80 per cent voting, with 1,97,796 ballots cast. Then JDS candidate HD Kumaraswamy won the election, polling around 96,000 votes, while BJP's CP Yogeshwara trailed closely with 80,000, leaving Congress far behind with just 15,000 votes. This election, officials and party workers from both sides of the divide anticipate a massive voter turnout of well over two lakh. Chief Electoral Officer, Karnataka, Manoj Meena, said, "Ramanagara district consistently sees high voter turnout, with figures above 80% in assembly and parliamentary elections."

Workers from JDS, BJP and Congress have fully been activated on the ground to bring in voters. Sources in the JDS-BJP camp said, "We're ready for Wednesday's high turnout, with our booth-level workers fully engaged."

Congress volunteers and teams associated with the party candidate Yogeshwara have swept across the constituency, reminding voters to come to the polling booth.

Adding to the spectacle, many voters whose names appear on the voter list, but are residing in Bengaluru, Mysuru and other cities, have returned to Channapatna for the big day.

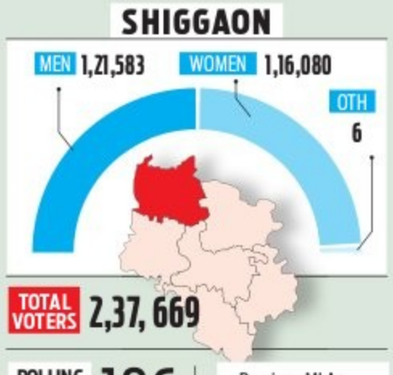
The constituency's voter demographics could play a defining role, with Vokkaligas constituting the largest voting bloc of approximately 1,05,000, followed by 38,000 Dalit voters, 28,000 Muslims, 12,000 Kurubas, 6,000 Scheduled Tribes, and the remaining are Thigalas, Ursus, Lingayats and other smaller communities.

Sources suggested that Vokkaligas, in particular, are expected to turn up in big numbers, setting the stage for what could be Channapatna's most dynamic election yet. As dawn breaks, all eyes will be on Channapatna as every vote cast would alter its political landscape.

IT'S OVER TO VOTERS NOW..

Three Assembly constituencies- Sandur, Shiggaon and Channapatna - will go for bypolls today. A high-stake election, winning is vital for all Big 3 parties in the state.

SHIGGAON

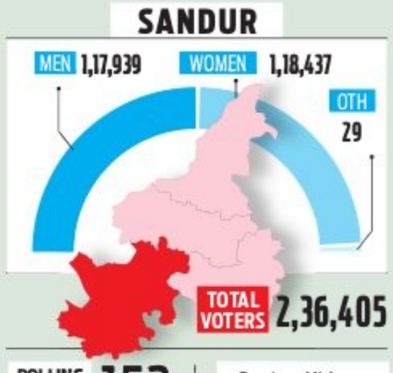


TOTAL VOTERS 2,37,669

POLLING STATIONS 196 | Previous MLA: Basavaraj Bommai

CANDIDATES: BHARATH BASAVARAJ BOMMAI (BJP)/YASIR PATHAN (CONGRESS)

SANDUR

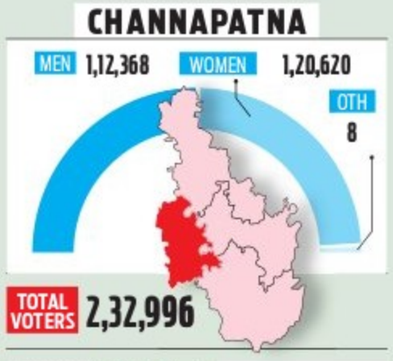


TOTAL VOTERS 2,36,405

POLLING STATIONS 153 | Previous MLA: E Tukaram

CANDIDATES: BANGARU HANUMANTHU (BJP)/ ANNAPOORNA (CONGRESS)

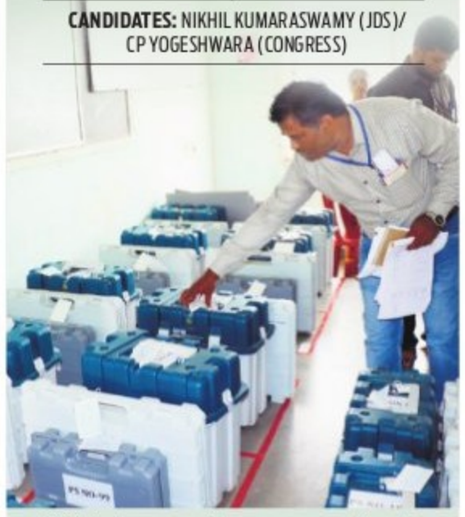
CHANNAPATNA



TOTAL VOTERS 2,32,996

POLLING STATIONS 208 | Previous MLA: HD Kumaraswamy

CANDIDATES: NIKHIL KUMARASWAMY (JDS)/ CP YOGESHWARA (CONGRESS)



EVMs being arranged in government college in Sandur, Ballari district, on Tuesday | EXPRESS

The State Vokkaligara Sangha demanded CM Siddaramaiah to drop Housing, Minority Welfare, and Waqf Minister BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan from the cabinet for his alleged derogatory remarks against Union Minister HD Kumaraswamy

WILL ZAMEER'S REMARK TILT THE BALANCE IN CHANNAPATNA?

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI @Bengaluru

Housing Minister Zameer Ahmed Khan's alleged "racist" comment against Union Minister for Steel and Heavy Industries HD Kumarswamy addressing him as Kaala or dark, has become a talking point in political circles. During campaigning for the Assembly bypoll in an area dominated by minorities Channapatna, where the voting will happen on Wednesday, Zameer had also said he can buy the former prime minister HD Deve Gowda's family by raising money from the minorities. At the constituency, Gowda's grandson and NDA candidate Nikhil Kumaraswamy of JDS is contesting against Congress candidate CP Yogeshwara, who switched over to the Grand Old Party just before filing of nomination for the bypoll.

Zameer badmouthing the Gowda family has had an effect inside and outside the constituency on a section of people, especially Vokkaligas who are sympathisers of JDS and Gowda, sources said. Rajya Vokkaligara Sangha, headed by its president and Shravanabelagola JDS MLA CN Balakrishna -- younger brother of Bengaluru Rural BJP MP Dr CN Manjunath, issued a press release, condemning Zameer and seeking his resigna-tion. When polling will be under way in Channapatna, JDS members, led by former MLC HM Ramesh Gowda, will be protesting at Freedom Park in Bengaluru against Zameer's comment.

"His statement may have had some impact and could only reduce our victory margin. Our candidate Yogeshwara will certainly win, though with a narrow margin," said a minority community MLA, who had campaigned for Yogeshwara.

Political observers said that in this low-margin fight, the controversial statement could tilt the balance. But others differed, saying in this constituency, the heavy flow of money is the talking point, and Zameer's statement is unlikely to have an effect as voters would have already made up their mind. "Money is no less a god and parties are splurging it on the voters here. Zameer's statement would only make panic-stricken Congress go the extra mile," he added.

Already, a political party has allegedly distributed Rs 1,000, a gold coin and a picture of a deity for every target voter. Another party has been only distributing Rs 3,000 per vote. Funnily, while one party gave a full chicken, the other party has tried to lure voters with a dressed chicken. That is how intense the contest here, a source pointed out. Channapatna Returning Officer Binay said he has neither received a complaint nor any confirmation of money and other allurements being distributed among voters. "We have registered cases against JDS for allegedly disturbing cash and gifts. A case has also been filed against Zameer as he allegedly handed out a Rs 500 note to a woman in a roadshow a couple of days ago," he added.

AFTER UPROAR, ZAMEER APOLOGISES FOR HIS REMARKS

MYSURU: Under fire for referring to Union Minister for Steel and Heavy Industries HD Kumaraswamy as "Kaalia," Karnataka Housing and Waqf Minister BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan on Tuesday tendered an apology. The NDA had slammed the minister for his "racist" slur. "If my remarks have hurt anyone, I am sorry for it," Zameer told the media in Mysuru on Tuesday. Reiterating that he has done no wrong to be sacked from the cabinet as demanded by the opposition, Zameer claimed that he, in the past, used to call Kumaraswamy as "Kariyanna" (a black-coloured person), and the JDS leader called him "Kulla" (a short man). "I have respect for Kumaraswamy," Zameer said, in an effort to put an end to the controversy. Zameer further clarified that he has not spoken about "purchasing" the Gowda family. "Is it possible to purchase the Gowda family in Karnataka?" the minister asked. Zameer maintained that he had just referred to Kumaraswamy's statement to purchase the Minority votes and said that his statement was misinterpreted. He said that his statement would not have any impact on the bypolls. Meanwhile, JDS workers dropped their plans to lay siege to the hotel where the minister was staying after he apologised for his remarks.

If my remarks have hurt anyone, I am sorry for it. I have respect for (Union Minister and state JDS president) HD Kumaraswamy
— BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan, Minister

We have registered cases against JDS for allegedly giving cash and gifts. Case has been filed against Zameer as he allegedly handed out a ₹500 note to a woman in a roadshow
— Binay, Channapatna Returning Officer

Why Siddaramaiah, who had endorsed the allegations made by the Contractors Association, is ignoring the allegations made by liquor merchants
— Chalavadi Narayanswamy, LoP in Council

BJP: Corruption rampant, Siddu should resign

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THE Opposition BJP on Tuesday said that corruption is rampant in all the departments in the state and demanded Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's resignation. Leader of Opposition in the Council Chalavadi Narayanswamy told the media that the liquor merchants association has accused the Excise Department officials of collecting Rs 500 crore. He added that over Rs 700 crore was collected ahead of the elections.

The money collected from the liquor merchants in Karnataka was used during the bypolls in three Assembly segments in the state as well as polls in Maharashtra, he alleged. In the Excise Department, to get a new license one has to pay Rs 4.5 lakh fee to the government, but they have to spend around 80 lakh, where is that money going? he asked.

He said the Congress leaders, who are now demanding proof of the corruption in the Excise Department, had not provided any proof for the 40 % corruption allegation, which they made a big election issue ahead of the 2023 Assembly elections. "Why Siddaramaiah, who had endorsed the allegations made by the Contractors Association, is ignoring the allegations made by liquor merchants," the BJP leader asked. The CM's family returned 14 sites allotted to them by the MUDA and Minister Priyank Kharge's family returned a 5-acre land allotted to a trust. That proves the charges against the government, he said.

GUARANTEES WILL NOT SAVE CONGRESS: BJP

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"Women voters accepted our schemes and are in our favour," Ramalinga Reddy said. According to Reddy, the women-centric schemes will help Congress win all three constituencies in the byelections. Meanwhile, BJP leaders claimed that the guarantee schemes will not help the ruling Congress in the byelections. "At many places, women are not getting Gruhalakshmi money, and men are unhappy that they have been left out of most of the guarantee schemes," N Ravikumar, senior BJP leader and MLC, said. He said though the Congress government claims that its guarantee schemes are helping the poor and middle-class families, the cost of living has increased drastically. "Women are clever. They are not happy with price rise and other issues," he added. He said the BJP-JDS alliance will sweep the byelections in the state. Political analysts, however, stated that Wednesday's byelections have become a prestige issue for the three parties in Karnataka. The bypoll outcome may also lead to a major change in political equations in the state.

Ambedkar was ready to embrace Islam, says Khadri, triggers row

PRAMODKUMAR VAIDYA @Hubballi

CONGRESS leader Syed Azeempeer Khadri has stoked an unnecessary controversy just ahead of the polling day for the Assembly by-elections, saying, "Dr BR Ambedkar was ready to accept Islam. But at the last moment, he converted to Buddhism."

He went on to say that if Ambedkar had converted to Islam, all Dalits in the country would have become Muslims. Then, Ministers G Parameshwara would have been called Peer Sab, RB Timmapur as Rahim Sab Khan and L Hanumantaiah as Hussein Sab. "Also, there was a close relationship between Muslims and Dalits. Wherever Muslims stayed, the Dalit population could be seen in the vicinity," he added.

He made the statement while addressing a convention of Aadijambavas, a SC community, held as part of campaigning to garner support for the party candidate from Shiggaon Nasirkhan Pathan. Though the statement was made sometime ago, it was not taken seriously. But when a video clip went viral on social media, everyone started reacting. His utterances gathering attention just before the polling day on Wednesday has become a headache for the Grand Old Party. As opposition BJP started attacking Khadri, Congress distanced itself from his statement.

Later apologising for his statement, Khadri said, "While addressing the convention I was emotionally charged and the mistake happened due to a slip of the tongue. If anybody is hurt by my remark I will regret, retract and apologise. Moreover, my statement will have no impact on the ensuing Shiggaon bypoll." BJP is using the statement for gains in the election. However, no Dalit in the constituency found fault with the statement, he said.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah dances with tribals at Kerehadi village in HD Kote taluk, Mysuru district, on Tuesday | x

No proposal for quota for Muslims in tenders: CM

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THE Karnataka Chief Minister's Office (CMO) on Tuesday clarified that there is no proposal to provide reservation for Muslims in government tenders. Reacting to reports in a section of media, CM Siddaramaiah said that though there is a demand to provide reservation for Muslims in tenders, there are no such proposals before them.

Meanwhile, the BJP slammed Siddaramaiah for the alleged initiative and accused him of indulging in appeasement politics.

Leader of Opposition in Assembly R Ashoka said that the CM has claimed there is no proposal before them, but it is not true. "Minister Zameer Ahmed Khan, CM's Political Secretary Nasir Ahmed and other Muslim MLAs had written to the CM urging him to provide 4% reservation for Muslim bidders in government tenders. The CM had approved and had recommended it to the Financial Department," Ashoka said.

Ashoka also hit out former MLA and Congress leader Syed Azeempeer Khadri for his remarks that Dr BR Ambedkar was ready to convert to Islam. Ashoka said this is nothing but an "insult to Dr Ambedkar". Ashoka questioned Siddaramaiah for not issuing any statements on the former MLA's claims and minister Zameer Ahmed Khan's derogatory remarks against Union Minister HD Kumaraswamy.

CM HINTS AT NAGENDRA'S RETURN TO CABINET

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CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah on Tuesday hinted at reinstating MLA B Nagendra into the cabinet. The former youth empowerment and ST development minister had resigned amid alleged irregularities in the Karnataka Maharshi Valmiki Scheduled Tribes Development Corporation (KMVSTDC).

Speaking at an event in HD Kote, Siddaramaiah said, "Nagendra will be given a ministerial position soon," reassuring Nagendra's supporters and Nayaka community members, who had gathered for the inauguration of development projects worth Rs 443.64 crore in the constituency. "Nagendra will be given the position. I do not go back on my words," he said.

Nagendra's previous role was marred by allegations of corruption by the opposition BJP, which filed cases accusing him of fund misappropriation in the Valmiki corporation, a charge Nagendra has denied.

Supporters of HD Kote MLA C Anil Kumar, who is a Nayaka, wanted him to be inducted into the cabinet, highlighting the community's role and seeking a greater representation to it. However, Siddaramaiah's remarks suggest that his priority remains Nagendra's return, but he said Anil will be positioned well too with a plum post in the coming days.

For the benefit of those heading to Sabarimala, Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation (KSRTC) will be operating Volvo buses from Bengaluru to Nilakkal (Pampa-Sabarimala) from November 29

PRIYANKA TO FACE WAYANAD LOK SABHA BYPOLL TEST TODAY

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Kalpetta

THE 14.71 lakh electors of Wayanad Lok Sabha constituency will vote to elect their new MP in the bypoll on Wednesday, six months after the general elections in April.

The month-long public campaigning by the three major fronts in the LS constituency, which comprises seven assembly segments – Sultan Bathery, Mananthavady, Kalpetta, Thiruvambady, Ernad, Wandoor and Nilambur – witnessed a grand culmination on Monday.

On the day of silent campaigning on Tuesday, UDF candidate Priyanka Gandhi stayed at Taj Hotel, Padinjarathara on Tuesday. On Monday, she had taken part in a mega kottikalasam at Sultan Bathery and Thiruvambady with brother Rahul Gandhi. She will leave Kerala Wednesday noon after visiting a few polling booths.

As for LDF candidate Sathyan Mokeri, he continued his visits to Thiruvambady, Ernad, Wandoor, Nilambur and Kalpetta assembly constituencies on the day. Meanwhile, the LDF lodged a complaint with the Election Commission against circulation of the visuals of Priyanka praying at a church in Wayanad.

On the day, NDA candidate Navya Haridas visited the Bathery bishop house and called on the families in Thalapuzha, who had received the Waqf Board notice claiming land ownership.

The by-election was necessitated after sitting MP Rahul, who won from Raebareli and Wayanad in the April elections, withdrew as Wayanad MP. The bypoll marks Priyanka's foray into electoral politics.

LDF FILES PLAINT AGAINST PRIYANKA GANDHI FOR POLL CODE VIOLATION

Kalpetta: As silent campaigning was progressing in Wayanad Lok Sabha constituency on Tuesday, LDF Wayanad parliamentary constituency committee lodged a complaint with the Election Commission alleging that UDF candidate Priyanka Gandhi used shrines and religious symbols for election campaign. The complaint stated that the election campaign of the Congress was in violation of the election code and laws. The complaint sent to the commission stated that Priyanka, who visited the Our Lady of Lourde's Church in Pallikunnu on November 10 for election campaign, prayed inside the church in the presence of priests, and believers, and used it for election campaign by taking video and pictures.

RESISTING THE STORM

A boy holds up an umbrella on a boat as dark storm clouds gather overhead along the coastline at Marina Beach in Chennai on Tuesday | ASHWIN PRASATH

RAIN FORECAST OVER PARTS OF KARNATAKA FOR NEXT 3 DAYS

Bengaluru: The officials from India Meteorological Department (IMD) on Tuesday forecast rain for most parts of Karnataka for the next three days, including Bengaluru. As per IMD, a low pressure system lies over south west Bay of Bengal off north Tamil Nadu and adjoining south Andhra Pradesh coast. The associated circulation extends up to 5.8 km above mean sea level tilting south westwards. The officials said under the influence of the systems, coastal and south interior Karnataka will experience rainfall from November 12- 15, 2024. Bengaluru city experienced clouding on Tuesday, with a drop in temperatures. The weathermen also advised citizens to exercise caution.

HC: Lack of sperm does not equate to innocence in rape

CHITHALURI REVANTH
@ Hyderabad

WHILE sentencing a person to lifetime imprisonment to an accused in Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 (POCSO), a local court on Monday noted that absence of sperm does not equate to innocence in rape cases. The court made this observation after the Forensic Science Labarotary (FSL) found negative results, with no evidence of sexual assault against a 17 year old victim.

The case was registered in 2018 with the LB Nagar police station. Four days after the complaint was registered, the police found her. Upon inquiry she told the police that a person took her to Vishakapatnam with false promises and allegedly assaulted her. Then, the police altered sections from missing to SC/ST act POCSO act sections.

Then, the police sent her for a medical examination and after collecting the samples, sent them to the Forensic Science Laboratory. In the results, there was no evidence of intercourse. But the court pointed out that forensic evidence like sperm presence is just one type of evidence, but absence of sperm does not equate to innocence. "Sperm detection is only relevant if there was ejaculation. However, not all sexual assaults involve ejaculation, and even if ejaculation occurred, there may have been limited or no deposition of sperm into the vagina, especially if the assault was brief or involved different types of sexual activity", the court pointed out.

Meanwhile, the victim told the court that the accused came to the house previously four times and they had sex before they went to Vishakhapatnam. The defense counsel argued that it was mutual consent. But the court pointed out that the victim was a minor on the date of the incident. "According to the principle of law, minors are not legally capable of giving consent to sexual intercourse. Sexual intercourse with a minor below the age of consent often categorised as statutory rape", the court noted.

It is a well-settled principle of law that the evidence of the victim is more than sufficient to establish the case, as she is the sufferer, and there is no need for corroboration. To establish this principle, the counsel cited Ranjith Hazarika vs State of Assam, State of Himachal Pradesh Vs Asha Ram, judgements.

The Public Prosecutor cited various Supreme Court judgements to give strength to this case to prove that the accused on false promise of marriage, committed rape. The Public Prosecutor cited Radhakrishna Nagesh Vs. State of Andhra Pradesh (2013), Yogesh Singh of 2013 Vs. Mahabeer Singh and others, State of Panjab Vs. Gurmith Singh (1996), Bhisentyagi Vs. State of Telangana and another (2021).

Biofuel initiatives saved Rs 91k crore in import bills: Puri

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

MINISTER of Petroleum and Natural Gas **Hardeep Singh Puri** said India's energy demand is set to double by 2047. He was speaking after inaugurating the three-day Energy Technology Meet (ETM) 2024 organised by the Centre for High Technology (CHT) and co-hosted by Indian Oil Corporation (IndianOil), here on Tuesday.

Lauding the Oil Marketing Companies and private energy companies for their proactive approach in achieving net-zero targets and affirming India's readiness to support 'Viksit Bharat' through advancements in ethanol, hydrogen, and biofuels, he highlighted India's biofuel achievements. He revealed that India's current biofuel blending rate has reached 16.9%, putting the country on track to exceed the 20% target

set for 2030, five years ahead of schedule. "As a result of Government of India's biofuel initiatives, we have saved Rs 91,000 crore in import bills, parallelly giving a much-needed boost to the agriculture sector," he added.

He also said that India ranks second globally in biofuel blending, underscoring its leading position in sustainable fuel practices. He said, "India has the capability to process over 250 types of crude oil, with refining capacity anticipated to grow from the current 258 MMTPA to 310 MMTPA."

V Satish Kumar, Chairman & Director (Marketing), IndianOil, said the future of the energy industry hinges on integrating green energy solutions into refining processes.

The event, "Green Energy Horizons: Advancing Sustainable Refining and Petrochemicals", highlights India's commitment to sustainable energy innovations and the transition towards greener energy solutions, he added.

Sterlite end imminent as SC rejects review plea

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@New Delhi

IN a major setback to Vedanta Group, the Supreme Court has rejected the review petition filed by the company challenging the order passed by the court in February upholding the Madras High Court's decision to close the Thoothukudi plant in Tamil Nadu.

A three-judge bench headed by Chief Justice D Y Chandrachud (who has since demitted office) had passed the order on October 22 and the judgment copy has been uploaded recently.

The only legal recourse now left for the company is to file a curative petition before the apex court.

The apex court did not find any ground to review its earlier order. "Application for listing the review petition in open court is rejected. Delay condoned. The review petitions are dismissed in terms of the signed order. Pending application, if any, stands disposed of," the bench had said in its order.

On February 29 this year, the SC had rejected the Vedanta's petition challenging the Madras HC's order of closing of the plant in Thoothukudi plant in Tami Nadu. Vedanta had then moved the SC challenging that order and requested for a review of it.

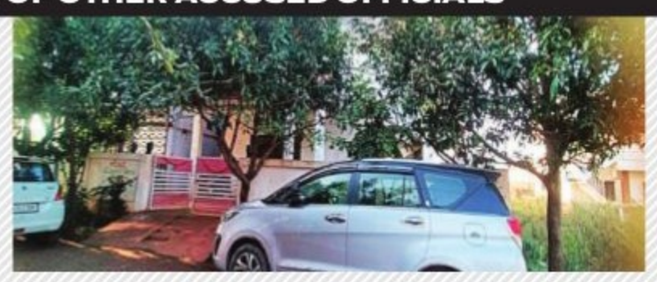
The top court in its February order noted that there are "repeated breaches" and "serious violations" on the part of Vedanta in the case. The SC had also had rejected the appeals filed by Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board (TNPCB) challenging the observations made by the Madras High Court against it in connection with its inaction in the case.

ASSETS OF OTHER ACCUSED OFFICIALS

Raveendra Kumar
Immovable assets: **Rs 3.5 crore**
Movable assets: **Rs 72.75 lakh**
Total: **Rs 4.22 crore**

Kashinath Buddappa Bhajantri
Immovable assets: **Rs 2.61 crore**
Movable assets: **Rs 59.62**
Total: **Rs 3.20 crore**

Vittal Shivappa Dhavaleshwar
Immovable assets: **Rs 1 crore**
Movable assets: **Rs 8.02 lakh**
Total: **Rs 1.08 crore**



Nagesh D
Immovable assets: **Rs 1.95 crore**
Movable assets: **Rs 77.74 lakh**
Total: **Rs 2.72 crore**

Govindappa Hanumanthappa Bhajantri
Immovable assets: **Rs 1.85 crore**
Movable assets: **Rs 94.22 lakh**
Total: **Rs 2.79 crore**

Venkatesh S Majumdar
Immovable assets: **Rs 1.63** crore
Movable assets: **Rs 58.43 lakh**
Total: **Rs 2.21 crore**

Kamal Raj
Immovable assets: **Rs 1.32 crore**
Movable assets: **Rs 67.24 lakh**
Total: **Rs 1.99 crore**

BATTLE FOR MAHA

Bypolls done, Siddu now to rally Kurubas in M'rashtra

BANSY KALAPPA @ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA Chief Minister Siddaramaiah is set to boost the Congress campaign in the Maharashtra Assembly polls as he visits the neighbouring state on November 15.

A formidable AHINDA leader and a Kuruba icon, Siddaramaiah is expected to rally the Dhangar-Kuruba vote bank — an influential bloc of over one crore — that could tilt the polls.

During his two-day tour, Siddaramaiah will address a series of rallies to woo the community. His visit is a calculated push to build influence and secure a critical foothold in southern Maharashtra. His campaigning will especially be around Sangli and Kolhapur, where Dhangar-Kurubas are in considerable numbers, confirmed sources in the CMO.

Former minister and guarantees implementation committee chairman HM Revanna, firing back at recent criticisms from Maharashtra BJP leaders, said, "The guarantees are working perfectly fine. All disbursements have been made up to August. November's emoluments will be made by the month-end. Siddaramaiah will tell Maharashtra voters the guarantees are working perfectly."

Revanna said that a kinship exists between Karnataka's Kurubas and Maharashtra's Dhangars, both sheep-rearing communities. "The Kuruba community stretches across India with a population of 12 crore. Their unity, from Karnataka to Maharashtra, is powerful," he stressed.

BJP LEADER, 2 OTHERS HELD FOR ASSAULTING YOUTUBER

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THE Saheed Nagar police on Tuesday arrested three persons including former state NSUI president and BJP leader Itish Pradhan (36) for allegedly attacking a person and demanding extortion money from him.

Pradhan had joined BJP in January this year. The two other accused are Arpana Mishra (38) from Chakeisiani and Biplab Parida (32) from Hansapal.

Police said the accused were arrested on the basis of a complaint lodged by Saroj Kumar Mishra, a youtuber. As per the complaint, the trio made a phone call to him on November 9 night by identifying themselves as cops and asked him to report at Saheed Nagar police station in connection with a case registered against him.

As Mishra arrived near the police station, he was allegedly accosted by the three and first attacked with ink. They then reportedly attacked him with a sharp weapon and broken glass bottles.

Police said their investigation revealed that the attack was a fallout of a five-day-old feud in which Mishra had refused to pay extortion money demanded by the accused. "During interrogation, the accused confessed to their crime. Their criminal antecedents were also verified and it was found that five cases each are pending against both Pradhan and Parida," said the Saheed Nagar Police.

They said a case has been registered under relevant sections of BNS and further investigation in the matter is on.

Student bursts petrol bomb during Deepavali

ENS @Hassan

A student of the Rajiv College of Ayurveda in Hassan burst a petrol bomb along with crackers while celebrating Deepavali with his friends near the college recently. The incident came to light a week after the festival when the video of the incident went viral on social media on Monday.

Lokakiran H, an intern pursuing Bachelor of Ayurveda Medicine and Surgery at the Rajiv College of Ayurveda in Hassan burst the petrol bomb on the road adjacent to the college while celebrating with his friends.

One of his friends captured the celebration on his cellphone which went viral on social media. A source said Lokakiran drew the petrol from his motorcycle and filled it into a plastic cover fixed with a fire cracker bomb. It could have been a major tragedy as loaded fuel tankers were parked 200 feet away from the hostel.

Interestingly, the petrol and diesel loading and unloading unit of HPCL, Petrol, Oil and Lubricants Terminal is also located within the radius of half a kilometre from the hostel. The police are investigating the incident.

EXPRESS READ

Sreesh Babu, Director of Prakruthi Ads, receives the Public Relations Hall of Fame Award from Union Minister of State Sripad Yasco Nayak at the Annual Chanakya Awards ceremony during the 18th Public Relations Communication Conclave in Mangaluru on November 8. Miss Global India Swisel Maria Putado, PRCI president emeritus MB Jayram and PRCI national president Greta Shanker look on

Pacche Nanjundaswamy calls for farmer unity

Bengaluru: Stating that farmers' struggle is being weakened and there is an urgent need for all the unions and associations of farmers to come under one banner, farmers leader Pacche Nanjundaswamy has given a call for unification of farmers' unions in Karnataka. He said that this is for the betterment of the farmers' community in Karnataka. "It has become imperative for the farmers' unions in Karnataka to come together and organise under a single platform."

OPPORTUNITIES

General

SREE SANKARA TRUST
Advaitha Bhavan, Sree Sankarapuram, Valayanchirangara-P.O, Perumbavoor, Ernakulam Dist. Kerala, PIN-683 556
Phone : 0484-2657338. E- Mail: manager.ssv@gmail.com

Applications are invited from eligible candidates for the following Non - Teaching posts in Sreekrishnapuram V.T. Bhattathiripad College and Sree Sankara Vidya Peetom College, aided Colleges under the Management of Sree Sankara Trust against existing permanent vacancies shown under and vacancies likely to arise with in the validity of the rank list .

1. Sreekrishnapuram V.T. Bhattathiripad College, Palakkad.
(Affiliated to Calicut University)

Post	Open Quota	Community Quota (Namboothiri)	Reserved for PwD Candidates*
Clerk		1	
L.D.Computer Assistant	1		
Office Attendant	2		1

*Reserved for PwD candidates as provided in G.O.(MS) No.242/2022 HEdn dt.18.05.2022 with benchmark disability of Category 1:- Blindness and Low Vision .

2. Sree Sankara Vidya Peetom College, Valayanchirangara, Perumbavoor
(Affiliated to M.G.University)
Mechanic (Lab Equipment) :- No. of Post 1 (Open Quota)

Age, Qualification, and Scale of Pay are in accordance with Rules and Orders of Kerala Government and Statutes, Orders, and norms etc. of the respective University. Application forms can be had from the Office of the Trust on payment of Rs1500/- (by Post 1550/-) in cash or by Demand drafts payable at Valayanchirangara. Cheques will not be accepted. The PwD Candidates need not pay application fee. Applicants under PwD category should attach Medical Certificates as prescribed in Annexure II of G.O. (P)7/2022/SJD dt.28.10.2022. Filled in applications with copies of required documents should reach the Office within 30 days from the date of this notification. Late and defective applications will not be considered.

Valayanchirangara
13.11.2024
(Sd/-) Secretary

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)

INFANTRY ROAD II BRANCH
No.91, Infantry Road, Tasker Town
Shivaji Nagar Bangalore-560001

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule - 8 (1)] (For immovable Property)

Whereas The undersigned being the authorized Officer of the **Canara Bank, Infantry Road II Branch**, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **30.08.2024** calling upon the Borrower **(1) M/s. Samoo Engineering India Private Limited,** No. 953, 2nd Floor 1st Cross, 13th Main, D Block, Sahakaranagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560092 **(2) Kim Jin Woo,** No.953 1st Cross, 13th Main D Block, Sahakaranagar Bengaluru Karnataka-560092 **(3) Sivasakthikumar S Co Subramanian,** Korfos B Blk, Flat 301, Santorini Kuthambakkam, Tiruvallur, Tamil Nadu-600124 **(4) Vijay Sagar Shetty,** Site No. 1817, Flat No. 201, 2nd Floor, Fortuna Srinivasan, 31st Cross, 12th Main, BSK 2nd Stage, Banashankari, Bengaluru, Karnataka- 560070 **(5) Balaji M,** 99, 4th Cross, Anjaneya Temple Road, Ramesh Raju Bldg, Uttaranalli, Bangalore South, Bengaluru-560061 **(6) KIM JISOO,** No .953, 1st Cross, 13th Main, D Block, Sahakaranagar, Bengaluru Karnataka-560092 **(7) Elakiya** W/o Rajha, 39 C-17, 3d Cross, Street, DVD Colony, Nagarcoil, Agasteeswaram, Kanyakumari, Tamil Nadu-629002 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice of **Rs. 10,18,39,938/-** (Rupees Ten Crore Eighteen Lakh Thirty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty Eight Only) and interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules 2002 on this **11th day of November 2024.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank, Infantry Road II Branch** for an amount of **Rs. 10,18,39,938/-** (Rupees Ten Crore Eighteen Lakh Thirty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty Eight Only) and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Secured Assets

Name of Title holder : Mr.Balaji M S/o Muniyappa.

Schedule A Property : All that Piece and Parcel of vacant land bearing BBMP Khatha No. 1B2/196, situated at Vaddarapalya village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, within the limits of BBMP Ward No. 184, Uttarahalli, Bangalore (duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes, as per Official Memorandum bearing No.B.DIS.ALN.SR. (S).226/12-13 dated 26/11/2013 issued by the Deputy commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), measuring 18200 Sq Ft in the name of Mr. Balaji S/o Muniyappa. Boundaries On: East By: 30 Ft Road and entry to the remaining portion of the property, West By: Private Property, North By: Road , South By : Remaining portion of the same property Khata bearing No. 1B2/196.

Date : 11.11.2024
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorized Officer
Canara Bank

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಚೇರಿ, ಕೋರ್ಟ ಆವರಣ ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ.

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ಎ) ಸಾ.ಕ.ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು (ಎಂಬಿಬಿಎಸ್)

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ಬಿ) ತಜ್ಞವೈದ್ಯರು

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ಸಿ)ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಹತೆ : **MBBS/DIPLOMA/MS/MD/SPL ತೇರ್ಗಡೆ**

ಡಿ)ನೇರ ಸಂದರ್ಶನ ದ ಸ್ಥಳ ದಿನಾಂಕ & ವೇಳೆ : ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ

(Walk-in-Interview) 19.11.2024 ಮುಂಜಾನೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ರಿಕ್ತಸ್ಥಾನಗಳು ನೇಮಕಾತಿ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚು–ಕಡಿಮೆ ಆಗುವ ಸಾಧ್ಯತೆಗಳಿವೆ.

ನಿಭಂದನೆಗಳು: 1)ಸದರಿ ನೇಮಕಾತಿಯು ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ/ನಗರ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ. 2)MBBS/DIPLOMA/MS/MD/SPL ಪದವಿಯೊಂದಿಗೆ 12 ತಿಂಗಳ ಹೌಸಮನ್ ಶಿಪ್ ಪೂರೈಸಿರಬೇಕು. 3)MBBS/DIPLOMA/MS/MD/SPL ಸ್ನಾತಕೋತ್ತರ ಪದವಿ ಹೊಂದಿರಬೇಕು. 4)ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲಿಂಗ್ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿದ ದಿನಾಂಕದಂದು ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಅಭ್ಯರ್ಥಿಗಳು–38 ವರ್ಷ, ಇತರೆ ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ಅಭ್ಯರ್ಥಿಗಳು–41 ವರ್ಷ, ಹಾಗೂ ಪ.ಜಾತಿ: ಪ.ಪಂಗಡಭ್ಯರ್ಥಿಗಳು–43 ವರ್ಷ ಮೀರಿರಬಾರದು. ನಿವೃತ್ತಿಹೊಂದಿದ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು 65 ವರ್ಷ ಮೀರಿರಬಾರದು. 5)ಮೀಸಲಾತಿ ಅಭ್ಯರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಸಕ್ಷಮ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರದಿಂದ ಪಡೆದ ಚಾಲ್ತಿ ವಾರ್ಷಿಕ ಆದಾಯದ ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಪತ್ರ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಬೇಕು. 6)ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಹುದ್ದೆಗೆ ಮತ್ತು ತಜ್ಞ ವೈದ್ಯರ ಹುದ್ದೆಗೆ ನೇಮಕಾತಿ ಹೊಂದಿದವರಿಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಮಾರ್ಗ ಸೂಚಿಯನ್ವಯ ಸಂಚಿತ ವೇತನಕ್ಕೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ಅರ್ಹರು. 7)ಅರ್ಹ ಅಭ್ಯರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಎಸ್ ಎಸ್ ಎಲ್ ಸಿ ಅಂಕಪಟ್ಟಿ, ಎಂ ಬಿ ಬಿ ಎಸ್ (1:2:3:4) ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಅಂಕಪಟ್ಟಿ, ಪದವಿ ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಪತ್ರ, ಮೀಸಲಾತಿ ಪಡೆಯುವ ಅಭ್ಯರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಜಾತಿ ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಪತ್ರ, 12 ತಿಂಗಳ ಹೌಸಮನ್ ಶಿಪ್‌ದ ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಪತ್ರ, ಕೆ ಎಂ ಸಿ ನೊಂದಣಿ ಪ್ರಮಾಣ ಪತ್ರ ಇತ್ಯಾದಿಗಳ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಗಳ ಝೆರಾಕ್ಸನ ಒಂದು ಪ್ರತಿ ಮತ್ತು ಮೂಲ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲಿಂಗಕ್ಕೆ ಹಾಜರಾಗುವದು. 8)ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕು ಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ, ಲಸಿಕಾ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ ಆವರಣ ಟಿಳಕವಾಡಿ, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ–6 ಇವರಿಂದ ಕಚೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. (ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂ.:0831–2407241). 9)ನಿವೃತ್ತಿಹೊಂದಿದ ವೈದ್ಯರು, ವಯೋನಿವೃತ್ತಿ ಹೊಂದಿದ ಕುರಿತು ದಾಖಲಾತಿ, ಅಥವಾ ಪಿಂಚಣಿ ಮಂಜೂರಾತಿಯ ಆದೇಶದ ಪ್ರತಿಯನ್ನು ತರುವದು.

ಸಹಿ/–ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು,
ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ ಇವರ ಪರವಾಗಿ

DIPR/BGM/RO-NO-1119/KSMCA/2024-25

KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAM LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL,
MLI Division No-2 Babaleshwar- 586 113.
Phone: 08355-200030
E-mail ID: eemli2babaleshwar@gmail.com

No: KBJNL/MLID-2/PB-4/Man Power/2024-25/796
Date:11.11.2024

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through KPP Portal Only)

On behalf of the Managing Director, KBJNL, Bangalore, the under signed invites **tender on Percentage basis- 07 works** from eligible Class-I,II &III registeredContractors under e-tender document system procedure as per KTPP Act.

General category -05 works [I. No. 1233, 1234, 1190, 1275, 1276]

SC category- 01 work [I.No.1273]

ST category- 01 work [I.No.1176]

1. Last date for submission in KPP Portal is on. 25.11.2024 up to 5.00 pm.
2. Opening of e-tender is on 27.11.2024 at 11.00 am

For further information and details, visit https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in and contact the office of the under signed during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
KBJNL, MLI Division-2, Babaleshwar

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public, Financial institutions, Banks, that my client **SMT. MANASA S.** is negotiating with **SRI BHUPAL VARMA.A., & SMT.A.SINDU,** Both residing at No.306, Third Floor, **"GARUDA"**, 'B Block **Sannidhi Apartment,** HMS Layout, Chikkalasandra, Bangalore-560061 for purchase of property **Flat bearing No.TF-401, Third Floor "CHANDU ENCLAVE",** situated at **Arehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli Bangalore South Taluk,** morefully set out hereunder in the schedule, from its present owners. The Vendors have represented that they have a clear and marketable title to it and is free from all types of encumbrances and claims etc.

Any person/ persons, firms, Banks, financial institutions or Authority asserting any right, title interest or claim of any nature in or any lien, charge or enforceable right in relation to the Schedule Property and or have any objections of any nature to the transaction should lodge such claim and or objections in writing to the undersigned together with supporting documents within **Seven days** hereof, failing which it will be presumed that no valid claims or objections subsist and my clients will proceed to complete the Sale transactions with the owners subject to legal formalities. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY (Entire Property)

All that piece and parcel of property bearing No.365/9/230, Situated at Arehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, Presently within the limits of Bruhath Banalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, New BBMP Katha No.410/365/9/230, PID No. 184-W0153-14, Bangalore, measuring East to West 40 Fest and North to South 60 Feet, in all measuring 2400 Bg. feet and bounded as follows:

East by : Site No.231 — **West by : Private Property**
North by : Road — **South by : Private Property**

SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY
(Description of the Undivided interest in the land herein)

340 Sq. feet of Undivided Share, right, title and interest in comprising in Schedule 'A' Property. the land

SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY (Apartment)

Three bedrooms flat residential of apartment/Flat bearing No.TF-401, in the Third Floor in the residential apartment building known as "CHANDU ENCLAVE", with Super Built up Area of 1300 Sq. feet, having Vitrified tiles flooring, one covered car parking in the stilt floor, water, electricity and sewerage amenities together with all the rights in common areas such as passages, lobbies lifts, staircase and other areas of common use.

East by : Passage & Common Staircase — **West by : Lift**
North by : Balcony Area — **South by : Common Passage**

Bangalore
Date :11-11-2024

V.SHANKAR
Advocate & Legal Consultant
No.1144, 3rd Cross, 17th Main, Srinagar
Bangalore – 560 050 : Mob: 9481425508

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)

Regional Office West
Chitrapur Bhavan, 8th Main, 15th Cross,
Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560055

POSSESSION NOTICE APPENDIX IV under Act- Rule 8 (1) (SECTION 13(4)) (For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Malleswaram Main Branch, Bengaluru,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **30.08.2024** calling upon the **Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors, 1) M/s. Shakthi Printech,** No.552, 7th Cross, 3rd Main, Ayyappa Temple Road, Prakash Nagar, Bengaluru-560021, **Represented by its proprietor, Sri. Saravanan. V. N, 2) Sri. Saravanan. V. N.** S/o Sri. Narayanamurthy. V, **3) Smt. S. Damayanthi** W/o Sri. Saravanan. V. N, **4) Sri. Narayanamurthy. V,** and **5) Ms. J. N. Vijaya** W/o Sri. Narayanamurthy. V, **All are residing at:** No.214, 3rd D Lane, 3rd Stage, 2nd Block, Judge Colony, Basaveswarnagar, Bengaluru-560079, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.1,99,34,940/-** (Rupees One Crore Ninety Nine Lakhs Thirty Four Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty Only) as on **30.08.2024** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described hereinbelow in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **11th day of November 2024**.

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs.1,99,34,940/-** (Rupees One Crore Ninety Nine Lakhs Thirty Four Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty Only) as on **30.08.2024** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

SCHEDULE PROPERTY: Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No. 23, Municipal No.23, Site No.64, Khata No. 64, situated at 3rd Cross Road, Sai Baba Nagar, Srirampuram, Bengaluru-560021, measuring 19.3 X 60 Feet, totally measuring 1,158 Square Feet, alongwith the building standing thereon and bounded on the: East by: Property No.63, West By: Property of Rangaiammal's, North By: Property No.33, South By: 3rd Cross Road.

Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No. 553, Municipal No. 553/2, situated at 7th Cross, Rajajinagar 3rd Stage, Prakash Nagar, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 50+51/2 Feet, totally measuring 1,515 Square Feet, alongwith the building standing thereon and bounded on the: East by: Property No. 552, West by: Property No.554, North by: Road, South by: Property No.562.

Item No.3: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Old Site No. 92, New No.33, situated at 3rd Main Road, Ward No.97, Lakshminarayanapuram (LN Puram), Shreerampuram, Bengaluru-560021, totally measuring 5,321 Square Feet, alongwith the building standing thereon and bounded on the: East by: Private Property, West by: Road, North by: Private Property, South by: Drain.

Date : 11.11.2024
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

Muthoot Capital Service Ltd. | GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

Regd. Office: 3rd Floor, Muthoot Towers, M.G Road, Ernakulam - 682035,
P: +91 484 6619600, 6619641. CIN: L67120KL1994PLC007726

Notice is hereby given for the information of all concerned that Gold Ornaments deposited as additional security in connection with the below Vehicle Loans availed from the different locations of Muthoot Capital Services Limited, where the Vehicle Loans availed by the respective customers remained overdue, in spite of the repeated notices, will be auctioned as per the schedule given below for the BANGALORE District. The bidders are requested to remit earnest money deposit of rupees Ten thousand only and to produce Photo ID Card and PAN Card. The successful bidders are requested to make all payments including VAT through RTGS/NEFT only.

BANGALORE - DEVAIAH PARK, Auction Centre: Muthoot Capital Services Ltd.,First Floor, Raj Pride, # 32, 6th Main, MKK Road, Maruthi Extn, Opposite Harischandra Ghatt, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560021. **Auction Date:** 06.12.2024, **Auction Time** : 10.00 a m - **DEVAIAH PARK:** TWL0322KA0000122585.

Please note if the auction is not conducted on the above-mentioned dates for any reason, the same will be conducted on 17.12.2024 for BANGALORE District at 10.00 am onwards in our Indira Nagar branch.

For Muthoot Capital Services Ltd.
Authorised Auctioneer

TMB Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd
Be a step ahead of life

HEBBAGODI BRANCH
No. 55, R.S. Tower, First Floor, Hosur Main Road,
Hebbagodi, Bengaluru - 560 099
Phone No. 080-27831268 & Mobile: 09740091997

APPENDIX IV-A [See proviso to rule 8(6) and 9(1)]
Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties

Auction Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) and 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower and the Guarantor that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., Hebbagodi Branch,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" on **04.12.2024 at 3.00 P.M** for recovery of **Rs. 39,21,055/-** (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakh Twenty One Thousand and Fifty Five Only) as on 31.10.2024 with further interest from 01.11.2024 and expenses due to **Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Limited, Hebbagodi Branch** from the **Borrower : M/s. S.S. Traders,** No. 81, Ground Floor, 4th Cross, R.K. Lakeview Layout, Bommasandra, Bengaluru-560099 and its **Managing Partner/Guarantor : Mr. C. Rithik Shekar,** S/o. Mr. M.S. Chandra Sekar, RK City, No. 08, Kanchanayakana Halli, Hennagara Post, Anekal Taluk, Hebbagodi, Bengaluru Rural District-560105 and its **Partner/Guarantor/ Mortgagor : Mr. T. Srinivasa,** S/o. Mr. Thimmaiah, Door No. 2203/65 New D.No. D-10 1st Cross, Medhar Block, Devaraja Mohalla, Mysore Bamboo Bazar, Mysuru- 570001.

The Reserve Price will be **Rs. 78,75,000/-** (Rupees Seventy Eight Lakh Seventy Five Thousand only) and the earnest money deposit (EMD) will be **Rs. 7,87,500/-** (Rupees Seven Lakh Eighty Seven Thousand and Five Hundred Only).

Place of submission of EMD and Auction	**Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Limited, Mysuru Branch,** Door No. 331, N.S.Road, Devaraja Mohalla, Mysuru-570 001.
Date and Time of Auction Sale	**04.12.2024 at 3.00 P.M**
Reserve Price (Upset Price)	**Rs. 78,75,000/-** (Rupees Seventy Eight Lakh Seventy Five Thousand only)

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY : Land to the extent of 1750 sq.ft situated at Property Site No. 92, Corporation Door No. 2203/65, New Door No.D-10, Medhar Block, Devaraja Mohalla, Mysuru and residential building constructed thereat including all amenities standing in the name of Mr. T. Srinivasa, S/o. Thimmaiah. **Boundaries : North :** Property No. 91, **South :** Property No. 93, **East :** MUDA Land, **West :** Road.

Note: 1. The Borrower/ Mortgagor Mr.T. Srinivasa has executed a Gift Deed in favour of his wife Mrs.T. Mangala vide Document No.7465/2023-24 dated 21.11.2023. As our bank is having prior mortgage charge over the mortgaged property, we have brought the property for sale.

2. Mrs.T. Mangala wife of Mr. T. Srinivasa, has filed maintenance petition before the Hon'ble Principal Civil Judge and JMFC Court, Mysuru in C.Mis.No.533/2022 seeking interim order over the mortgaged property. As, we are having first mortgage charge over the mortgaged property and there is no interim order of stay/injunction in the said petition over the mortgage property, we have brought the property for auction sale.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in secured creditors website **(www.tmb.in)**.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 12.11.2024

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.
Bengaluru Region (For Hebbagodi Branch)

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)

Regional Office West
Chitrapur Bhavan, 8th Main,
15th Cross, Malleshwaram,
Bengaluru-560055.

POSSESSION NOTICE APPENDIX IV under Rule 8 (1) Section 13(4) (For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Sheshadhripurm Branch,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **29.08.2024** calling upon the Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors, **1) M/s. Navadurga Sea Foods,** 1st Cross, No.112, R.V. Road, Pattabhiramaiah Street, Bengaluru-560004, **represented by its partners, Mr. Adinarayana Setty. B. K, Mr. Thyagaraj. V. R, Mr. Gudala Srihari Gopala Rao, 2) Mr. Adinarayana Setty. B. K,** No.948/949, 13th Main Road, Srinagar, Bengaluru-560050, **3) Mr. Thyagaraj. V. R,** No.12 91 2, 1st Main, New Kalappa Block, Ramachandrapuram, Srirampuram, Bengaluru-560021, **4) Mr. Gudala Srihari Gopala Rao,** No.34, 1st Main Road, Sheshadripuram, Bengaluru-560020, and **Guarantors: 5) Mrs. Saraswathi. B, 6) Mr. Bhaskar. R, 7) Mrs. Shantha. R, 8) Mrs. Latha. G, All are residing at:** No.34, 1st Main Road, Sheshadripuram, Bengaluru -560020, **9) Mrs. Prema. R ,** No.8/1, 1st Main Road, New Kalappa Block, Ramachandrapuram, Srirampuram, Bengaluru-560021, and **10) M/s. Navadurga Sea Foods,** Near Cosmo Club, No.1-3-18/20-1, Sathya Krishna Homes, Suryanarayanpuram Bhimavaram, West Godavari, Andhra Pradesh-534202, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.15,40,63,761.43 Paisa** (Rupees Fifteen Crores Forty Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty One and Paisa Forty Three Only) as on **28.08.2024** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **08th November 2024.**

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs.15,40,63,761.43 Paisa** (Rupees Fifteen Crores Forty Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty One and Paisa Forty Three Only) as on **28.08.2024** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY: All that part and parcel of the Residentially converted Vacant land bearing Sy No.14/2, carved out of Sy No.14, measuring 32.5 Guntas, situated at Dasarahalli Village, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bengaluru East, duly converted for Residential purposes vide Official memorandum bearing No.ALN SR (S.A) 78/95-96 dated 04.11.1995 issued by Special Deputy commissioner, Bengaluru Dist, presently bearing BBMP Khatha No.27/14/2, within the limits of BBMP Ward No.6, Thanisandra, Bengaluru and bounded on the: East By: Portion of Sy No. 13/2, Site Nos. 41, 42, 43 and 44, Swimming Pool and Club House, West By: Portion of Old Sy No.14, New Sy No.14/1, Site Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and Road, North By: Portion of old Sy No.14, New Sy No.14/1, Site No.38, South By: Remaining portion of Sy No.14 measuring 10 Guntas.

Date : 08.11.2024
Place :Bengaluru.

Sd/-Authorized Officer
Canara Bank

GOVERNMENT OF RAJASTHAN
OFFICE OF CHIEF MEDICAL & HEALTH OFFICER, PALI (RAJ)
Email ID : cmho-pal-rj@nic.in, nuhmpali@gmail.cm

Sr.No./NUHM/JantaClinic/2022 Dated

Notice Inviting E-Bid

E-Bids for Cleaness Services for CHCs/PHCs through rate contract are invited from interested bidders upto 29.11.2024 Other particulars of the bid may be visited on the procurement portal **(http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in, http://sppp.rajasthan.gov.in)** of the State. The aproximate value of the procurement is Rs. 225.60 Lakh only.

UBN No. MHS2425SLR03812
DIPR/C/11146/2024

Sd/- Chief Medical & Health Officer, Pali

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED

<u>Registered Office :</u> Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032. <u>Administrative Office :</u> 6th Floor (Level 2), Building No.Q2, Aurum Q Park, gen.4/1, TTC, Thane Belapur Road, Ghansoli, Navi Mumbai-400710 <u>Office Address :</u> Shriram Finance Limited, D No.26-2-7, 2nd Floor, Padmavathi Plaza, Beside Canara Bank, A.K.Nagar, Nellore-524004.

INTENDING SALE NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE AFTER 30 DAYS UNDER RULE 8(6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002.

1) **N.Vijaya Krishna, S/o N.Malakondaiah,** R/o No.C-2, Lakshmi Residency, 1st Cross, Akshaya Shetty Layout, Sadasiva Nagar, Banglore, Karnataka-560080. **(Borrower)**
2) **Y.Jaya Rami Reddy, S/o. Yekollu Ramakrishna Reddy,** D No.303, 3rd Floor, Auditya Crystals, Auditya Nagar, Nellore Dist-524002. **(Guarantor)**
3) **N.Vijaya, W/o N. Vijaya Krishna,** R/o No.C-2, Lakshmi Residency, 1st Cross, Akshaya Shetty Layout, Sadasiva Nagar, Banglore, Karnataka-560080. **(Guarantor)**

Sir/Madam,

<u>SUB</u> : Intending Sale Notice about Sale of Properties belonging to N.Vijaya Krishna (Borrower) for Realization of Amount Due to the Secured Creditor under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 Read With Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Ref : Loan Agreement No. 1) NELL3TF203270004, 2) NELL3TF1207180006

1) This is to inform you that, we **M/s. Shriram Finance Limited** (Formerly known as Shriram City Union Finance Limited)" Shriram City Union Finance Limited" has been amalgamated with "Shriram Transport Finance Limited" as per order of Hon'ble NCLT, Chennai on 09.11.2022 in C.P. No.69-76 of 2022, Subsequently, the name of M/s.Shriram Transport Finance Company Limited stands changed to M/s. Shriram Finance Limited with effect from 30.11.2022 as per "Certificate of Incorporation Pursuant to change of Name" as certified by Registrar of Companies under Ministry of Corporate Affairs. Having our **Registered Office** situated at Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032, having **Administrative Office** at 6th Floor (level 2), Building No.Q2, Aurum Q Park, Gen.4/1, TTC, Thane Belapur Road, Ghansoli, Navi Mumbai-400710 and one of its **Zonal / Branch Office situated at Shriram Finance Limited, D No.26-2-7, 2nd Floor, Padmavathi Plaza, Beside Canara Bank, A.K.Nagar, Nellore-524004 issue the following notice as under.**

2) The secured creditor - **Shriram Finance Limited,** caused a demand notice dated **30.10.2023** under section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues of **Rs.26,74,93,062/- (Twenty Six Crore Seventy Four Lakhs Ninety Three Thousand and Sixty Two Rupees only** as on date of **30.10.2023** along with subsequent interest / expenses within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited has taken Symbolic possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **12.04.2024** and also taken physical possession of the properties on **19.09.2024** with executive assistance under section14 of Act.

3) Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to **Shriram Finance Limited** as such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days, from the date of receipt of this notice/ publication of this notice, through a separate e-auction sale notice. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider,in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

4) Therefore, we hereby request you to pay the amount due to **Shriram Finance Limited** along with subsequent interest,costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no furtheraction shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated under sec. 13 (8) of the Act.**Please take notice that if you fail or neglect to pay the total outstanding dues within aforesaid statutory period of 30 (Thirty) days from the date of notice hereof,** the undersigned will have no alternative except toproceed to sell the aforesaid secured property for realizing the outstanding dues of **M/s. Shriram Finance Ltd.,** payable in respect of aforesaid loan facility.

This INTENDING SALE notice is being issued incompliance of Rule 8(6) of SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT RULES), 2002.

This notice is issued to you without prejudice to other rights and remedies available to our financial institution.

<u>SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTIES</u>

<u>Description of the Immovable Property of N.Vijaya Krishna,</u>
<u>Vide Document No.871/2012 and 2067/2012, Sub-Register of Buchireddypalem</u>

<u>Property Details :</u> <u>Schedule-I :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.200/1999, Dt.11-03-1999) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru, Sy.no.46/1, 46/2, and 61/C, ward No.6, Block No.13, Kothakasipalem Street, site measuring 150 ft length and 57.5 ft width total extent of 120 Ankanams or 960 sq.yards or 802.80 sq.mts., (This site is situated on the north side of the Door No.13-193 house. **<u>Bounded on :</u> East :** Wall of Shaik Khaza Mohiddin, **West :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna, **North :** Site retained by Katamreddy Malla Reddy, **South :** Site of Nallagonda Vijaya Krishna

<u>Schedule-II :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.74/2003, Dt.22-01-2003) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru, Sy.no.61, Ward No.6, Block No.13, on the southern row of Bombay Road in between Jameelmahal to Mohalla Mahal on eastern side of Door No.B-13-11 site measuring East to West on northern side 9 ½ ft., East to West on northern side 15 ft North to South on both the sides 52 ½ ft total extent of 9 Ankanams or 72 sq.yards. **<u>Bounded on the :</u> East :** Wall of Shaik Khaza Mohiddin, **West :** House of Munaga Venkatesham Setty, **North :** Bombay Road, South : Wall of Nallagondla Vijay Krishna.

<u>Schedule-III :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.192/1999, Dt.10-03-1999) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru, Sy.no.46/1, 46/2, and 61/C, Ward No.6, Block No.13-193 near Kothakasipalem Street, site measuring 150 ft length and 57.5 ft width total extent of 120 Ankanams or 960 sq.yards or 802.80 sq.mts., **<u>Bounded on the :</u> East :** Wall of Shaik Khaza Mohiddin, **West :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna, **North :** Site retained by Katamreddy Malla Reddy, **South :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna.

<u>Schedule-IV :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.213/1999, Dt.13-03-1999) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru, Sy.no.46/1, 46/2, and 61/C, Ward No.6, Block No.13, on the northern side of B-13-192, Kothakasipalem Street, site measuring 150 ft length and 56.5 ft width total extent of 117 ¾ Ankanams or 942 sq.yards or 789.42 sq.mts., **<u>Bounded on the :</u> East :** Wall of Shaik Khaza Mohiddin, **West :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna, **North :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna, **South :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna.

<u>Schedule-V :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.202/1999, Dt.11-03-1999) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru S.No.61, Ward No.6, Block No.13, on the southern row of Bombaby Road, Door No.B-13-5, Sheet roofed House and site, measuring 70 ft length and 15 ft width or 14 Ankanams 42 sq.ft or 117 sq.yards or 97 sq.mts., in that 1050 sq.ft Sheet Roofed Building with HSC No.528. **<u>Bounded on the :</u> East :** Way of left over for ingress and egress, **West :** House site of Bondili Balaram Singh, **North :** Bombay Road, **South :** Property of Nallagondal Vijay Krishna

<u>Schedule-VI :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.165/1999, Dt.06-03-1999) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru Sy.No.46/1, 46/2 and 61/C, Ward No.6, Block No.13, Kothakasipalem Street, on the northern side of Door No.B-13-192, site measuring 120 ft length and 72 ft width total extent of 120 Anknams or 960 sq.yards or 802.80 sq.mts., **<u>Bounded on the :</u> East :** Wall of Shaik Khaza Mohiddin, **West :** Land retained by Katameddy Bala Sankar Reddy, **North :** Land retained by katameddy Bala Sankar Reddy, **South :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna.

<u>Schedule-VII :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.214/1999, Dt.15-03-1999) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru, Sy.No.46/1, 46/2 and 61/C, Ward No.6, Block No.13, Kothakasipalem Street, on the northern side of Door No.B-13-192.

(1) Site measuring 80 ft length and 70 ft width total extent of 77 3/4 Anknams or 622 1/4 sq.yards or 520.33 sq.mts., **<u>Bounded on the :</u> East :** Wall of Nallagondala Vijaya Krishna, **West :** Site of Sons of Shaik Imam Saheb and Others, **North :** Land of Nallagondala Vijaya Krishna, **South :** Site of Nallagondla Vijaya Krishna.

(2) Site measuring 59 ft length and 32 ft width total extent of 26 1/4 Ankanams or 210 sq.yards or 148.85 sq.mts., **<u>Bounded on :</u> East :** Wall of Nallagondala Vijaya Krishna, **West :** Site of Sons of Shaik Imam Saheb and Others, **North :** Land of Bondili Balaji Singh and Others, South : Site of NallagondlaVijaya Krishna

<u>Schedule-VIII :</u> (As per registered Doc.No.201/1999, Dt.11-03-1999) Nellore District, Buchireddypalem Sub-District, Buchireddypalem Gram Panchayath and village Accounts, Hamlet of Vavveru S.No.61, Ward No.6 Block No.6, Block No.13, on the southern row of Bombay Road, Door No.B-13-10-1 to 7, site measuring 52 ft length and 18 ft width or 13 Ankanams or 104 sq.yards, or 86.97 sq.mts., **<u>Bounded on the :</u> East :** House of Munaga Prasad Road and Others, **West :** Way site left over for ingress and egress, **North :** Bombay Road, **South :** Property of Nallagondla Vijay Krishna.

Date : 12.11.2024
Place : Nellore

Sd/- Authorized Offier
SHRIRAM FINANCE LTD

The Empowered Officer, TRRDA, PWD (PMGSY), 7th Block, 2nd Floor, Secretariat Building, Agartala, Tripura invites sealed tender(s) against press NIeT No:16/EO/TRRDA/2024-25 date: 11.11.2024.

For **New connectivity of Road under PM-JANMAN Works**.

1.Package No:TR-04-06 P4 and TR-04-05 P4: With Estimated cost: a) New connectivity: Rs 1473.18 Lakh b) Performance based Maintenance for 5 (five) yrs. : Rs 47.70 Lakh c) Earnest money: Rs 30.42 Lakh

2.Package No: TR-04-03 P4 and TR-04-08 P4: With Estimated cost: a) New connectivity: Rs 972.58 Lakh b) Performance based Maintenance for 5 (five) yrs. : Rs 31.90 Lakh c) Earnest money: Rs 20.09 Lakh

3.Package No: TR-04-01 P4, TR-04-02 P4, TR-04-04 P4, and TR-04-10 P4: With Estimated cost: a) New connectivity: Rs 1261.90 Lakh b) Performance based Maintenance for 5 (five) yrs. : Rs 44.67 Lakh c) Earnest money: Rs 26.13 Lakh

4.Package No: TR-03-13 P4 and TR-03-08 P4: With Estimated cost: a) New connectivity: Rs 1437.88 Lakh b) Performance based Maintenance for 5 (five) yrs. : Rs 47.65 Lakh c) Earnest money: Rs 29.71 Lakh

5.Package No: TR-07-01 P4 With Estimated cost: a) New connectivity: Rs 272.11 Lakh b) Performance based Maintenance for 5 (five) yrs. : Rs 9.35 Lakh c) Earnest money: Rs 5.63 Lakh

Time of completion of

Package No:TR-04-06 P4 and TR-04-05 P4----18 (eighteen) months altogether

Package No: TR-04-03 P4 and TR-04-08 P4----18 (eighteen) months altogether

Package No: TR-04-01 P4, TR-04-02 P4, TR-04-04 P4, and TR-04-10 P4----18 (eighteen) months altogether

Package No: TR-03-13 P4, and TR-03-08 P4----18 (eighteen) months altogether

Package No: TR-07-01 P4----12 (twelve) months altogether

Last Date of dropping of tenders - 2nd December, 2024 up to 1500 hrs (the time settings fixed on the server & displayed at the top of the tender site).

For details please visit: **www.pmgsytenderstrp.gov.in**

Pre-bid meeting will be held on 18th November, 2024 at 1100 hrs, in the office of the Empowered Officer, TRRDA, PWD(PMGSY), 7th Block, 2nd Floor, Secretariat Building, Agartala, Tripura.

Empowered Officer
Tripura RRDA, PWD (PMGSY)
7th Block, 2nd Floor, Secretariat Building, Agartala

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<u>VARIOUS WORKS</u>

Divisional Railway Manager (WA), Western Railway, 6th floor, Engg., Deptt., Mumbai Central, Mumbai - 400008, invites E-Tender as per details given as follows.

Sr. No.	Tender Notice No. & Date	WORK AND LOCATION	Approx. cost of work in ₹	EMD ₹
1	BCT/24-25/199 dt.08/11/2024	**1) Sachin:** Extension and Raising of Island Platform, PF no 2 and Home platform on loop line no 1. **2) Udhna bypass Line 2 Goods Shed:** Provision of goods office, traders & labour rest room with allied facility, Approach Road and drainage system under the jurisdiction of ADEN/ST (Composite work including Electrical portion)	98266636.01	641300/-
2	BCT/24-25/200 dt.08/11/2024	1) Providing 8 nos of OFC huts in connection with **Pardi-Udhna:** Replacement of overaged ABS make AFTCs by Dual digital axle counter. **2) Joravasan-Surat:** Painting of service buildings, station buildings & quarters from Surat to Sachin under SSE/W/ST **3) Joravasan-Surat Section:** Supply of quarry dust and rubbles for Monsoon reserve at BIM quarry and making the arrangements to arrest leakages for upcoming monsoon at stations cover sheds and buildings under ADEN ST jurisdiction **4)** Repairs to dilapidated colony roads to avoid accidents of road users under SSE/W/BIM Section. (Composite tender including Electrical portion).	71308949.22	506600/-
3	BCT/24-25/201 dt.08/11/2024	**1) SSE (W) Bilimora Junction:** Chlorination of drinking water and cleaning of UG and OH tanks under jurisdiction of SSE (W) Bilimora Junction (For 24 months) **2) Udhna Junction - Ukai Songadh section:** Chlorination of drinking water under jurisdiction of ADEN- Vyara section (For 24 months)	2165869.80	43300/-
4	BCT/24-25/202 dt.08/11/2024	**Joravasan-Surat Section:** Provision of Sewage Treatment Plant STP of 50 KLD at Navsari under ADEN Surat jurisdiction in connection with Navsari: Providing Effluent treatment plant 0.50 MLD under ADEN-Surat	13318180.40	216600/-

Date & Time of submission of Sr. No. 1, 2 & 3 tenders: Till 03.12.2024, 15:00 hrs. Date & Time of opening of 1, 2 & 3 Tenders: On 03.12.2024, 15:30 hrs. and **Date & Time of submission of Sr. No. 4 tender : Till 06.12.2024, 15:00 hrs. Date & Time of opening of Sr. No. 4 tender: On 06.12.2024, 15:30 hrs.** For further details please visit our website **www.ireps.gov.in.** **Manual offers will not be considered.**

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CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE GROUP
(Phone : 080 25084168, 4175, 4169) (Fax:080 25084155)

BRIEF E-TENDER NOTICE

1. On behalf of President of India, item rate tender is invited for the following work.

Description	Details
Name of work	Replacement of existing 06 Nos. Single Skinned AHUs with energy efficient double skinned AHUs at Main Campus, URSC, Vimanapura, Bangalore-560017.
E-Tender Notice	URSC/C and MG/ACMD/AC/1046/ ETN-63A/2024-25 Dt.11.11.2024.
Estimated cost put to Tender	₹ 144.21 Lakhs
Tender Document Details	**E-Tender**
Period of completion in months reckoned from the 15th day of date of issue of work order	8 Months
Period during which the tender document can be downloaded.	From 10:30 Hrs. on 13.11.2024 to 16:30Hrs. on 02.12.2024
Bid clarification	From 11:00 Hrs. on 13.11.2024 to 17:00 Hrs. on 04.12.2024
Last date and time of reply to Bid clarification.	Upto 17:00hrs on 06.12.2024
Last date and time for receipt of tenders.	Upto 14:30 Hrs. on 13.12.2024
Due date and time of opening of tenders.	After 15:00 Hrs. on 13.12.2024
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**₹ 2,88,420/- (Validity for 180 days)**

2. Interested tenderers may please refer Detailed Notice Inviting E-Tender (NIET) for eligibility criteria and other details along with Hindi version in website: **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/-
Group Director (Construction & Maintenance Group)

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OFFICE, TUMKUR DISTRICT OFFICE,TUMKUR

Bulletinno:dtwo:tmk:outsource.hostel:cr:05/2024-25, Date: 13-11-2024

Re-Tender bulletin

Tender calling authority : District Tribal welfare officer, tumkur district. Tender number : dtwo:tmk:outsource.hostel:cr:5/ 2024-25. Tender title: Short term Re-tender for supply of man power on outsource basis to Hostels of district tribal welfare department, tumkur. Tender estimated cost (in crore) : **1.51** E.M.D. amount (in Rs.): **2,27,000/-** Tender published date :**13/11/2024.** Last date for receipt of Tender : **27/11/2024**. Last date for accept of Tenders: **27/11/2024.** Date for opening Tender form: **28/11/2024** Tender accepting authority : **Deputy commissioner, Tumkur district**

Sd/- DISTRICT TRIBAL WELFARE OFFICER
TUMKUR DISTRICT

DIPR/TUM/RO-77/24-25/Oysters

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through KPP Portal Only)

KPTCL invites bids for the following services.

No. SEE/Tr(M)/BMAZ(S)/EE(O)/AEE-1/F-/24-25/5730-32 Dated: 12.11.2024

1) Bid Enquiry No: KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/BMAZ(S)/EE(O)/ AEE-1/24-25/EPR-57 Dated 12.11.2024 Call-1 for Providing service of 01 No of Tempo Traveler on hire basis to the office of Assistant Executive Engineer (Ele), TLM Sub-Division, KPTCL, Hoody in BMAZ South Circle jurisdiction, Bengaluru.

No. SEE/Tr(M)/BMAZ(S)/EE(O)/AEE-1/F-/24-25/5733-35 Dated: 12.11.2024

2) Bid Enquiry No: KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/BMAZ(S)/EE(O)/ AEE-1/24-25/EPR-58 Dated 12.11.2024 Call-1 for Providing service of 01 No of Tempo Traveler on hire basis to the office of Assistant Executive Engineer (Ele), TLM Sub-Division, KPTCL, Somanahalli in BMAZ South Circle jurisdiction, Bengaluru.

The Bids will be received through E-Procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on to **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink 'E Procurement KPTCL' or to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **13.11.2024.**

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele), Transmission (Maintenance), BMAZ South Circle, KPTCL, Office Complex, Ground Floor, A.R. Circle, Bengaluru – 560 009

LOST OF DOCUMENTS

I, **NAVEEN CHANDRA REDDY J A,** residing at Kanyakaparameshwari Temple, Bagepalli, Chikkaballapura - 561207 do hereby inform to the general public that on 09-11-2024 , while I was travelling near HSR Layout , I have lost the ORIGINAL SALE DEED bearing vide Registered Doc. No. DNH-1-01545-2023-24 Registered at Sub - Registrar, Devanahalli. Inspite of my best efforts I could not trace the same and in this regard on 12-11-2024, I had lodged complaint at Police Unit, Bengaluru City , vide Lost Report No.1329835/2024. If anyone finds the above said document or is in possession , please handover the same to the above said address or contact me on **9945605467.**

Canara Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore
ARM-1 Branch, 2nd Floor, No.86, Spencer Tower, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001. Ph: 080 25310066
E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

Cancellation of Sale Notice

In Respect of the Sale Notice published in this newspaper on **30.10.2024** pertaining to **Borrower Name : Borrowers : 1. M/s Cadryche Automation and Office Solution Private Limited, 2. Sri. Krishnamurthy V Udupa, 3. Smt. Jyothi Krishna Murthy, 4.Smt. Raksha K Udupa, 5. Ms Indira V Raj,** The said Sale Notice is Cancelled due to Inadvertent Errors.

Date : 12.11.2024 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bangalore Canara Bank

WESTERN RAILWAY

MATERIAL MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT
VARIOUS MATERIALS SUPPLY

E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE No. S/64/2024 Date 11.11.2024

Sr. No.	Short Description of Item	Quantity	T.O.D.
721	SET OF POLYMER BUFFER SPRING PACK.	2106 Set	09-Dec-24
REVERSE AUCTION			
61	Yoke for Upgraded High Tensile CBC	2266 Nos	16-Dec-24
CORRIGENDUM			
Please read the due date as "18-11-2024" for tender notice no. S/55/2024 dated 25.09.2024 at serial no. 670			

Regarding detailed notice EMD, Purchase restrictions and detailed tender conditions, please visit website **www.ireps.gov.in** and **www.wr.indianrailways.gov.in** 0729

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BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE

B.S.N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore-560 001.

In the Matter of

Case No. O.A. 341/2023

BETWEEN: UNION BANK OF INDIA, ... APPLICANT

AND: M/s Safewud Industries India Pvt Ltd. and others ... **DEFENDANT**

DEFENDANT No. 1: M/s Safewud Industries India Pvt Ltd. Directors: Shailesh Poончha. And Sujaya Anil Regd. Office: No. 1035, "M" Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, BENGALURU 560010

DEFENDANT No. 2: SHAILESH POONCHA, S/O Mohan Pooncha, Flat No. 2, No. 88, Kathimaramma Nilaya, 1st cross, Behind Prestige Motors, Kethamaranahalli, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010.

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Sec. 19 of The Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of sum of Rs. 5,72,49,704/- (Rupees Five Crores Seventy Two Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred and Four only) together with Current and future Interest and other reliefs.

Take Notice that you are hereby required to appear before this Tribunal to Show Cause within 30 days of the publication of summon/Notice or on **11.12.2024** at 10:30 A.M. in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 05/11/2024.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore.

Public Notice For E-Auction Cum Sale (Appendix - IV A) (Rule 8(6))

Sale of Immovable property mortgaged to IIFL Home Finance Limited (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) (IIFL-HFL) Corporate Office at Plot No.98,Udyog Vihar, Phase-IV,Gurgaon-122015.(Haryana) and **Branch Office at:- . SOMA MERIT', No.9, Ground Floor, Venkataswamy Naidu Street, Taskar Town, Shivajinagar, Bangalore 560051** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter "Act"). Whereas the Auhorized Officer ("AO") of IIFL-HFL had taken the possession of the following property/ies pursuant to the notice issued U/S 13(2) of the Act in the following loan accounts/prospect nos. with a right to sell the same on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS, AS IS WHAT IS BASIS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS" for realization of IIFL-HFL's dues. The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the website: www.iiflonehome.com

Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Description of the Immovable property/ Secured Asset	Date of Physical Possession	Reserve Price
1. Mr. Suresh Chand 2. Mitali Marbles And Granites 3. Mrs. Arti (Prospect No 905579 & 946852)	**1-Nov-2021 Rs. 32,59,156/-** (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Fifty Nine Thousand One Hundred Fifty Six Only) **Bid Increase Amount Rs. 25,000/-** (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand Only)	All that part and parcel of the property Flat Bearing No. D-203, on First Floor, 'D' Block, in the apartment building known as "Pride Horizon" with super built up area of 880 Sqft., and about 702 Sqft of Carpet area and having 0.765% or 816.64 sqft., Undivided share comprised in Sy.No.169/ 1 C of Bukkasagara Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560083, India.	**26-Aug-2023** **Total Outstanding as On Date 12-Oct-2024 Rs. 45,27,220/-** (Rupees Forty Five Lakh Twenty Seven Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty Only)	**Rs. 12,00,000/-** (Rupees Twelve Lakh Only) **Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs. 1,20,000/-** (Rupees One Lakh Twenty Thousand Only)

Date of Inspection of property	EMD Last Date	Date/ Time of E-Auction
25-Nov-2024 1100 hrs -1400 hrs.	27-Nov-2024 till 5 pm.	29-Nov-2024 1100 hrs-1300 hrs.

Mode of Payment :- EMD payments are to be made vide online mode only. To make payments you have tovisit https://www.iiflonehome.com and pay through link available for the property/ Secured Asset only. Note: Payment link for each property/ Secured Asset is different. Ensure you are using link of the property/ Secured Asset you intend to buy vide public auction.
For Balance Payment - Login https://www.iiflonehome.com >My Bid >Pay Balance Amount.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:-

1. For participating in e-auction, Intending bidders required to register their details with the Service Provider **https://www. iiflonehome.com** well in advance and has to create the login account, login ID and password. Intending bidders have to submit / send their "Tender FORM" along with the payment details towards EMD, copy of the KYC and PAN card at the above mentioned Branch Office.
2. The bidders shall improve their offer in multiple of amount mentioned under the column "Bid Increase Amount". In case bid is placed in the last 5 minutes of the closing time of the auction, the closing time will automatically get extended for 5 minutes.
3. The successful bidder should deposit 25% of the bid amount (after adjusting EMD) within 24 hours of the acceptance of bid price by the AO and the balance 75% of the bid amount within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. All deposit and payment shall be in the prescribed mode of payment.
4. The purchaser has to bear the cess, applicable stamp duty, fees, and any other statutory dues or other dues like municipal tax, electricity charges, land and all other incidental costs, charges including all taxes and rates outgoings relating to the property.
5. The purchaser has to pay TDS application to the transaction/payment of sale amount and submit the TDS certificate with IIFL HFL.
6. **Bidders are advised to go through the website https: //www.iiflonehome.com and https://www.iifl.com/home-loans/properties-for-auction for detailed terms and conditions of auction sale & auction application form before submitting their Bids for taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.**
7. **For details, help procedure and online training on e-auction prospective bidders may contact the service provider E mail ID:- care@iiflonehome.com, Support Helpline Numbers:@1800 2672 499.**
8. **For any query related to Property details, Inspection of Property and Online bid etc. call IIFL HFL toll free no. 1800 2672 499 from 09:30 hrs to 18:00 hrs between Monday to Friday or write to email:- care@iiflonehome.com**
9. Notice is hereby given to above said borrowers to collect the household articles, which were lying in the secured asset at the time of taking physical possession within 7 days, otherwise IIFL-HFL shall not be responsible for any loss of property under the circumstances.
10. Further the notice is hereby given to the Borrower/s, that in case they fail to collect the above said articles same shall be sold in accordance with Law.
11. In case of default in payment at any stage by the successful bidder / auction purchaser within the above stipulated time, the sale will be cancelled and the amount already paid will be forfeited (including EMD) and the property will be again put to sale.
12. AO reserves the rights to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and condition of tender/auction without assigning any reason thereof. In case of any dispute in tender/Auction, the decision of AO of IIFL-HFL will be final.

15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER THE RULE 9 SUB RULE (1) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002

The Borrower are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with upto dated interest and ancillary expenses before the date of Tender/Auction, failing which the property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.

Place:-Bangalore Rural , Date: 13-Nov-2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, IIFL Home Finance Limited.**

The National Co-operative Bank Ltd.,

Administrative Office: No.73/1, Gandhi Bazaar Main Road, Bangalore - 560 004. Ph: 080-22421996, 26618093, E-mail: admin.ao@ncbl.org.in

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWER/GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

'We, **The National Co-operative Bank Ltd., Agrahara Dasarahalli Branch** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addressees at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : (1) Sri. Goutham G S/o Late Govardhan Upadhyaya, **(2) Smt Radha Govardhan** W/o Late Govardhan Upadhyaya, **Both are residing at:** No.190, 6th A Main, A Sector, 1st Stage, Yelahanka New Town, Bangaluru-560064.

Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the borrower:

Sl. No	Account No	Name of the Borrower	Advance Amount	Date of Advance	Purpos of Loan	Principal Outstanding	Interest O/s & Other Charges	Total Outstanding
1	IPL 20160021	Sri. Goutham G	Rs. 8,50,000/-	04.06.2016	Purchase of Site	Rs. 7,44,466/-	Rs. 14,982/-	Rs. 7,59,448/-
2	IPL 20210008	Sri. Goutham G	Rs. 5,00,000/-	18.06.2021	Repayment of Debts	Rs. 4,56,884/-	Rs. 34,559/-	Rs. 4,91,443/-

Total Liability Amount: Rs.12,50,891/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Fifty Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety One Only) as on **30.09.2024,** further interest from **01.10.2024** and other charges.

NPA Date : 30.04.2024 **Demand Notice Dated : 10.09.2024**

Schedule of Assets: Schedule - A: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.409,Khata No.538/517/409, Survey No.59, formed for residential purpose vide its conversion order No ALN.SR(N)23/94/95, PID 150200201300200539, Measuring 1200 Sq. Feet. situated at Kuduregerre village, Jala Hobli Bangalore North Taluk Bengaluru Owned by Sri. Goutham G, Measuring East to West: 40.00 Feet and North to South: 30.00 Feet and bounded by the following boundaries: East By : Site No.416, West By : Road, North By : Site No.408, South By : Site No.410.

You are here by called upon to pay **The National Co-operative Bank Ltd.,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the amount mentioned here above, failing which **The National Co-operative Bank Ltd.,** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **The National Co-operative Bank Ltd.,** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantors / Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **The National Co-operative Bank Ltd.,** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 12.11.2024 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bengaluru The National Co-operative Bank Ltd.,

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Chief Health Officer (Public Health), BBMP Head Office, Ground Floor, Annex-2 Building, N.R. Square, Bengaluru - 560002.

No: BBMP/2024-25/IND0092/IND0093 Date: 12-11-2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike invites Tenders from eligible bidders for the following.

Name of the Work:

1) Tender for the Supply of Essential Drugs to Namma Clinics of BBMP. 2) Tender for the Supply of Uniforms, Personal Protective Items to Namma Clinics of BBMP.

Tender Reference Number:

1) BBMP/2024-25/IND0092 2) BBMP/2024-25/IND0093

Calendar of Events: 1) Date and Time of Pre Bid Meeting on **15-11-2024 at 12.30 PM in the Office of the Chief Health Officer (Public Health), Ground Floor, Annex-3 Building, N.R. Square, Bengaluru - 560002. 2)** Last Date and Time for Submission of Queries in Karnataka Public Procurement Portal: **15-11-2024, 17.00 Hours. 3)** Last Date & Time for Submission of Tender in Karnataka Public Procurement Portal: **26-11-2024, 17.00 Hours. 4)** Last Date & Time for Submission of Sample: **26-11-2024 at 11.00 Hours. 5)** Date & Time of Opening of the Technical Bid in Karnataka Public Procurement Portal: **27-11-2024 at 17.10 Hours. 6)** EMD Amount: **As per Schedule of Requirement. 7)** Address for Communication: **Office of the Chief Health Officer (Public Health), Ground Floor, Annex-3 Building, N.R. Square, Bengaluru - 560002. Phone: 080-22975516, E-mail: choph515@gmail.com.** Further details can be had from the above office.

Sd/-
Chief Health Officer (Public Health), BBMP.

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK

(A scheduled commercial bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

Whereas you the below mentioned Borrower's, Co-Borrower's, Guarantor's and Mortgagors have availed loans from **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited,** by mortgaging your immovable properties. Consequent to default committed by you all, your loan account has been classified as **Non-performing Asset,** whereas **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** being a secured creditor under the Act, and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) of the said Act read with rule 2 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued **Demand notice** calling upon the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors as mentioned in column No.2 to repay the amount mentioned in the notices with future interest thereon within **60 days** from the date of notice, but the notices could not be served on some of them for various reasons.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	Loan Account No. & Loan Amount	Details of the Security to be enforced	Date of NPA & Demand Notice date	Amount Due in Rs. / as on
1	1) Mr. Paramesh P, 2) Mrs. Mangala P	Loan Account No. 47059440000083 Loan Amount: Rs.3,00,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing E-Property No.152900201301400114 Grama Panchayat Property No.81/47/2, Measuring East to West 1st Part: 10.21 Meter (33 1/2 Feet) North to South 1st part: 8.38 Meter (27 Feet) East to West 2nd Part: 2.44 Meter (8 Feet) North to South 2nd Part 4.57 Meter (15 Feet) and including house measuring East to West 2.44 meters (8 feet) and North to South 4.57 meters (15 feet) situated at Agara Village, T.Hosahalli Grama Panchayath, Maralavadi Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District and **Bounded on: East by:** Govt. Road, **West by:** Property belongs to Basavegowda @ Nayana, **North by:** Property belongs to Chikkalegowda, **South by:** Property belongs to Bolegowda.	Date of NPA: 01-11-2024 Demand Notice Date: 11-11-2024	**Rs.2,22,230.25** (Rupees Two Lakh Twenty Two Thousand Two Hundred Thirty and Paisa Twenty Five Only) **due as on 07-11-2024**

Notice is therefore given to the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor & Mortgagor as mentioned in Column No.2, calling upon them to make payment of the aggregate amount as shown in column No.6, against all the respective Borrower/ Co-Borrower within **60 days** of Publication of this notice as the said amount is found payable in relation to the respective loan account as on the date shown in Column No. 6. It is made clear that if the aggregate amount together with future interest and other amounts which may become payable till the date of payment, is not paid, **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** shall be constrained to take appropriate action for enforcement of security interest upon properties as described in Column No.4. Please note that this publication is made without prejudice to such rights and remedies as are available to **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** against the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors of the said financials under the law, you are further requested to note that as per section 13(13) of the said act, you are restrained/ prohibited from disposing of or dealing with the above security or transferring by way of sale, lease or otherwise of the secured asset without prior consent of Secured Creditor.

Date: 13.11.2024, Place: Ramanagara **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The notice is hereby given to public that our client K.Murugan & Mr.Kotesh M. are intending to purchase and mortgage the property and avail loan with Piramal Capital & Housing Finance Limited.

If any person or persons or financial institution or Bank has any claim over the schedule property or any person or persons claim any right, title or interest, over the schedule property, the same may be lodged with the undersigned within seven days from today, along with relevant documents, failing which it will be presumed that the schedule property is free from any such claim and any claim received thereafter will not bind my client and would not be considered by my client.

SCHEDULE :

All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Site No.10, Katha no.54/1, 56/19 & 57/2, formed in Sy.No.57/2, Situated at Garvebhavipalya Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, Now comes under the BBMP limits, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 40ft, North to South: 30ft, in all measuring 1200 sqft., and bounded on the:East by– Site No.19, West by – Road, North by – Site No.11, South by – Site No.9.

V.L. Associates
Advocates
No.56, Out house, 19th Main Road, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560 010. Ph: 9481900851/ 9743323668.
Place: Bangalore Date: 11.11.2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

(LOST OF ORIGINAL SALE DEED)

This is to inform and notice is hereby given to the General Public at large that my client, **PRITIKA DHOOT,** D/o. Shivprakash Dhoot, aged about 34 years, residing at Flat #402, The Usha Paradise Apartment, No.29, Shanthi Road, Shanthinagar, Bengaluru 560027 who is the sole and absolute lawful owner of the property morefully described in the schedule hereinbelow claims to have irretrievably lost the originalRegistered Sale Deed Dated: 08/07/2015, registered as Document No. SHV-1-01291-2015-16, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Shivajinagar, Bengaluru of Book-I and stored in CD No.SHVD208 while in transiton 02/11/2024 which is not traceable till date and my client further claims that, the same is not deposited/mortgaged with any bank or financial institutions with an intention to create any charge on the schedule property. In this regard my client has lodged a complaint before the Bengaluru City Police on 04/11/2024 vide LR No.1316748/2024. Anybody entering into any transaction in respect of the schedule property based on the above lost document with any person/s other than the registered owner/my client, shall be doing so at their own cost and risk and that the owner/my client shall not be held responsible for the same in any manner. In the event if any person/s finds or in possession of the aforesaid original document are requested to kindly handover the same to my client Pritika Dhoot (Mob:9590550230) or to the nearest police station or to the undersigned within Fifteen **(15) days** from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Residential Apartment bearing No.303 in Third Floor of Tower 'Boatman' in Block-I in the Project 'SJR WATERMARK', situated at Ambalipura, Haralur, Bengaluru 560103, built over the Property bearing Sy No.68 of Kasavanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, totally measuring 1390 Sq.Ft of super built-up area together with areas of common use.

GANGARAJAPPA .T, Advocate
Office: #42, 1 Floor, Govardhan Building, 1st Main Yeshwanthpura, Bengaluru-560022. Mob: 9731748783, Email: gangarajappa1971@gmail.com, Date:12-11-2024

Canara Bank

A Government of India Undertaking

ARM Branch - II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No. 86, MG Road, Bangalore - 560001
Ph No. 25310099, 080-25310181, E-mail - cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the ARM Branch II, Bangalore of Canara Bank, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ARM Branch II, Bangalore will be sold "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below.

Name of Borrowers and Guarantors	Total Liabilities	Details and full description of the property	Auction Date & Time	Reserve Price & Earnest Money Deposit [EMD] Date & Time	1) Incremental Value at Bid 2) A/c No. & IFSC
1) The Managing Director M/s Technospark Industries India Pvt Ltd 1341, Kavalbyrasandra, R T Nagar Post, (Near DR.Ambedkar Medical College), Bengaluru – 560032 Karnataka **Also at,** Plot No. 178-A2 & 179-A, KIADB Industrial Area, Vasanthanarasapura 1st Phase, Nagenahalli Post, Kora Hobli, Tumkur – 572 128 **2) Mr Mohan Suresh (Managing Director and Guarantor)** Flat No 604, Block No.E-2, Unit No. WH-87, VI Floor, Sri Ram White House VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bengaluru 560 032 **Also at** A 1501, Vaishnavi Terrace, Dollars Colony JP Nagar 4th Phase Bengaluru 560 078 Karnataka **3) Mrs. Surekha Suresh (Director and Guarantor)** Flat No 604, Block No.E-2, Unit No. WH-87, VI Floor, Sri Ram White House VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bengaluru 560 032 **Also at** A 1501, Vaishnavi Terrace, Dollars Colony JP Nagar 4th Phase Bengaluru 560 078 Karnataka **4) Mr M Sanjeev (Guarantor)** No 359, 17th A Cross, 26th Main Road, J P Nagar 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078	**Rs. 44,48,03,898/-** (Rupees Forty Four Crore Forty Eight Lakhs Three Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety Eight only) as on 17.04.2024 plus further interest thereon and other expenses with direct and indirect liabilities due to Canara Bank from M/s Technospark Industries India Pvt Ltd represented by Directors/ Guarantors/ Mortgagors Mr. Mohan Suresh, Mrs. Surekha Suresh and Mr. M Sanjeev.	**Property No.1 :** All that piece and parcel of property in the name of **Mr. M Sanjeev** being a portion of land in Survey No 45/3A of erstwhile Kaval Byrasandra Village measuring 18 1/2 guntas covered for residential purpose vide orders of Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District dated 17.08.1987 vide B.DIS.ALN:SR (N) 63/86, 87 later 10 guntas of land modified for industrial purpose vide orders dated 11.08.1988 under reference no B.DIS.ALN.SR 1/1988-89 now within the limit of BBMP and bearing Muncipal No 23 (Old No 45/3), PID no 95-50-23, New PID No 032-W0301-12 situated at 1st Main Road, Muniswamappa Layout, Kaval Byrasandra, **RT Nagar** Bengaluru and entire plot measuring 18 1/2 guntas or 20,146.5 square feet and **bounded on the East** by Land belonging to Chikkaputtanna **West By** Road leading to Doddanna's Land **North By** Land belonging to Appiahanna's Sons **South by** Land belonging to Munishamappa @ Bhoomanna and Road **Property No.2 :** All that piece and parcel of land and building existing and / or to be constructed there on in Sri Ram White House Apartment Complex House No WH-37, in Block AIII on the fifth floor, Apartment No 501, Survey No 37 located at VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bangalore-32, together with easementary and appurtments thereto in the name of Mrs. Surekha Suresh and Mr. Mohan Sureshand **bounded as follows:- East by-** Storm Water drain **West by** BDA Road **North by** Remaining portion of Property bearing Sy No 37, pertaining to White House Project **South by** Private Property **Property No.3:** All that piece and parcel of land and building existing and / or to be constructed there on in Sri Ram White House Apartment Complex House No WH-87, in Block EII on the sixth floor, **Apartment No 604**, Survey No 37 located at VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bangalore-32, together with easementary and appurtments thereto in the name of **Mr. Mohan Suresh**, with an undivided right, title and interest of the area measuring 223.04 square meters and **bounded as follows:- East by-** Storm Water drain **West by** BDA Road **North by** Remaining portion of Property bearing Sy No 37, pertaining to White House Project **South by** Private Property **Property No.4:** All that piece and parcel of land and building existing and / or to be constructed there on in Sri Ram White House Apartment Complex, House No WH-87, in Block EII on the sixth floor, **Apartment No 603,** Survey No 37, located at VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bangalore-32 together with easementary and appurtments thereto in the name of **Mrs. Surekha Suresh**, with an undivided right, title and interest of the area measuring 103.15 square meters and **bounded as follows:- East by-** Storm Water drain **West by** BDA Road **North by** Remaining portion of Property bearing Sy No 37, pertaining to White House Project **South by** Private Property **Property No.5: Item No. 1 :** All that piece and parcel of property **Flat Number 1** in the name of **Mr. Mohan Suresh** situated on the ground floor of the multistoried building known as **'FAMILY YMCA"** constructed in the property bearing No 57/4, PID No 92-30-57/4 situated at Miller Road within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division No 47) measuring super built up area of 1430 square feet in Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and **bounded as follows; East-** Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road **West-** Premises No 56 of Millers Road **North-** Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road **South-** Miller Road and Premises No 56, Miller Road (in between Cantonment Railway Station under bridge and St. Johns Church) **Item No. 2** All that piece and parcel of property **Flat Number 2** in the name of **Mr. Mohan Suresh** situated on the first floor of the multistoried building known as "FAMILY YMCA" constructed in the property bearing No 57/5, PID No 92-30-57/5 situated at Miller Road within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division No 47) measuring super built up area of 1430 square feet in Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and **bounded as follows; East-** Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road **West-** Premises No 56 of Millers Road **North-** Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road **South-** Millers Road and Premises No 56, Millers Road (in between Cantonment Railway Station under bridge and St. Johns Church) **Item No. 3** All that piece and parcel of property **Flat Number 3** in the name of **Mr. Mohan Suresh** situated on the second floor of the multistoried building known as 'FAMILY YMCA" constructed in the property bearing No 57/6, PID No 92-30-57/6 situated at Miller Road within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division No 47) measuring super built up area of 1430 square feet in Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and **bounded as follows; East-** Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road **West-** Premises No 56 of Millers Road **North-** Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road **South-** Millers Road and Premises No 56, Millers Road (in between Cantonment Railway Station under bridge and St. Johns Church) **Property No.6:** All that piece and parcel of property **Flat Number 4**, in the name of **M/s Technospark Industries India Private Ltd,** in the 3rd floor, admeasuring Super Built up area of 1430 square feet and 100 square feet land in the back yard to erect lift in the multistoried building known as "Family YMCA" constructed in the property bearing Muncipal No 57, PID No 92-30-57, situated at Millers Road, within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division number 47) Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and **bounded as follows; East-** Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road & site nos 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/5 and 1/6, Bore Bank Road **West-** Premises No 56 of Millers Road, Premises No 38/B, 38/K, 38/J, 38/G, 38/H and Millers Road, , the last four premises situated on the New Road Running near premises number 38/B, Benson Cross and Cottage Belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander. **North-** Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road & Cottage belonging to Mr.Abdul Wajid and another. **South-** Millers Road and Premises No 56, Millers Road	29.11.2024 Time 11.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m	**Property No.1 : Reserve Price:** Rs.12,29,00,000/- **EMD:** Rs.1,22,90,000/- **Property No.2 : Reserve Price:** Rs.1,88,00,000/- **EMD:** Rs.18,80,000/- **Property No.3 : Reserve Price:** Rs.1,76,00,000/- **EMD:** Rs.17,60,000/- **Property No.4 : Reserve Price:** Rs.84,00,000/- **EMD:** Rs.8,40,000/- **Property No.5 : Reserve Price:** Rs.4,48,00,000/- **EMD:** Rs.44,80,000/- **Property No.6 : Reserve Price:** Rs.1,46,00,000/- **EMD:** Rs.14,60,000/- **27.11.2024** up to **3.00pm.**	1) Multiples of Rs.2,00,000/- 2) A/c No. 209272434 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance(s):** Not Known to the Bank

Other terms and conditions

a. Auction / bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website Https://ebkray.in/ Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.
b. The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer .
c. The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process.
d. EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (E-bkray) portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan.
e. After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before 27.11.2024-5.00 PM, to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand OR Email.
 i.Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT Acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No.
 ii.Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount.
 iii.Bid Form.
 The intending bidders should register their names at portal https://ebkray.in/ and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider, M/s.PSB Alliance (E bkray) - e- mail: support.ebkray@psballiance.com EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD shall not carry any interest.
f. Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiples of Rs.2,00,000/-.The bidder who submits the highest bid (not below the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor.
g. The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again. This amount shall be deposited by way of Demand draft in favour of Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, ARM II Branch OR shall be deposited through RTGS / NEFT / Fund Transfer to credit of account of Canara Bank, ARM II Branch, A/c. No. 209272434, IFSC Code: CNRB0006298.
h. For sale proceeds of Rs.50.00 Lakhs (Rupees Fifty lacs) and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at a rate 1% or as applicable on the sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the bank.
i. All charges for Conveyance, Stamp Duty/GST/Registration Charges etc. As applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only.
j. Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the E-auction without assigning any reason thereof.
k. In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the E-auction, they can approach Canara Bank Circle office, Bengaluru or Canara Bank ARM II Branch, Bengaluru, who as a facilitating centre shall make necessary arrangements.
l. Bidder has to make due diligence and physical verification of property with regard to title, extent, area dues, etc. No claim subsequent to submission of bid shall be entertained by the bank.
m. For further details contact Ranjan Kumar, Chief Manager, Canara Bank , ARM Branch-2- (080-25310181) e-mail id – cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.PSB Alliance(E bkray) - e- mail: support.ebkray@psballiance.com

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION / CAUTION :

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/alternatives such as back –up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully. The property will not be sold below the Reserve Price

Place: Bangalore
Date: 08.11.2024

Sd/-, Authorized Officer
Canara Bank

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"Our transition from insulated ignorance to knowledge of the outside world was so abrupt that it shook our worldview to its core. The turmoil was inevitable

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— Ramnath Goenka

TVK TO BE TESTED ON COMMITMENT, PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

YET another film star has taken the plunge into the world of politics. However, unlike some of his peers, Vijay has launched his Tamilaga Vettri Kazhagam at the peak of his film career. The huge, mostly organic, crowds that thronged TVK's first public meeting and Vijay's open call to other parties to join an alliance led by him for the 2026 assembly elections have made a significant splash in Tamil Nadu's political waters.

TVK's ideology, as articulated by the actor, does not deviate far from the mainstream political discourse in the state. Having identified E V 'Periyar' Ramasamy as one of his ideologues, Vijay has made it clear that Dravidian ideology—"*sans* the atheism"—would be at the core of his politics. Other ideologues include B R Ambedkar and K Kamaraj, apart from freedom fighters Anjalai Ammal and Velu Nachiyar. According to the actor's fiery speech, what the TVK stands against are nepotism and alleged corruption of the DMK, its political enemy, and the divisive politics of the BJP, its ideological foe. While remaining mum on virtually every other political party in the state, the TVK has created a buzz in the political circles on whether the current alliances will remain intact in 2026, specifically the DMK bloc that has survived since 2019. Vijay's promise to offer allies a share in government—which neither Dravidian major has done so far—has further put the current coalitions under scrutiny.

The DMK and its allies are pressed to assure that their bond is intact, while the AIADMK has called for like-minded parties to join together against the ruling party. The DMK has also refocused its attention on young voters. TVK's entry could tap into the hopes and frustrations of an electorate that has been left to choose between the two Dravidian majors for decades. While Dravidian politics has arguably served the state well so far on many fronts, the limited choice within the pool stands out. The TVK has shattered the complacency of the established powers, and perhaps further isolated the BJP in Tamil Nadu. But whether it will take root and bear fruit, or ripen and wither prematurely, will be ultimately determined by Vijay's actions, commitment and sustained engagement with the public.

LIFT SCHOOL EDUCATION OUT OF MESS IN K'TAKA

EDUCATION may begin at home, but it isn't the only place to rely on through childhood. It includes development of social and life skills—and schools play a large part in it. Unfortunately, in Karnataka, the pathetic statistics on government schools presents a disturbing picture. At least 6,158 government schools where 1.38 lakh students are enrolled in all have just one teacher each, while 530 schools have no students though they have 358 teachers. This means some state schools are defunct, some have very few teachers, and some have excess teachers but no enrolment.

That is not all. What aggravates the situation is the practice of nudging out students who are not academically sound as the schools eye their own reputation while aiming at 100 percent pass rates, especially at the secondary school board level. In many schools, teachers restrict themselves to teaching only Kannada and/or social studies while leaving out core subjects like mathematics and science—again stressing higher marks. It's painfully unfortunate that this is the plight of education at a time when experts have been pushing to train schoolchildren in life skills and fortifying them to face ups and downs positively; where failures—including scoring lower marks—need to be taken as lessons to excel rather than as a reason to withdraw into a shell—or in some tragic cases, from life itself.

There's a flaw in the system that needs to be urgently and effectively addressed. The state government has to wake up and stop its education system from obstructing children's learning skills in a crucial phase of their lives. There is a pressing need to make the school teaching profession attractive to achieve the ideal expert-recommended student-to-teacher ratio of 18:1 for more individualised attention to students. Private companies have to be roped in to channelise corporate social responsibility funds to beef up salary packages for school teachers in government schools. The government needs to work with a missionary zeal to identify dedicated teachers for every subject to make learning an appealing experience for children—teachers who stress learning and understanding life skills and concepts, and not merely on scoring marks for institutional reputation. It's imperative that the government fixes the system.

QUICK TAKE

GO FASTER ON PATENT TRACK

THE World Intellectual Property Organization's 2024 report has better numbers and warmer words for India than ever before. India not only recorded double-digit growth in patent applications for the fifth year on the trot, for the first time, applicants residing in India submitted more than half the patents applied for in the country—a sharp rise from less than a quarter a decade earlier. But the fact that Asia now accounts for 70 percent of the global patent, trademark and design filings is mainly due to China, where almost half them were filed. So, while we are on the right path, we have quite a long way to go.

Left on their own, old hostilities can lead to frozen conflicts. Rather than treating them as legacy troubles that can erupt again, the need is to intervene and resolve

FROZEN CONFLICTS: TIME BOMBS TICKING IN THE NORTHEAST

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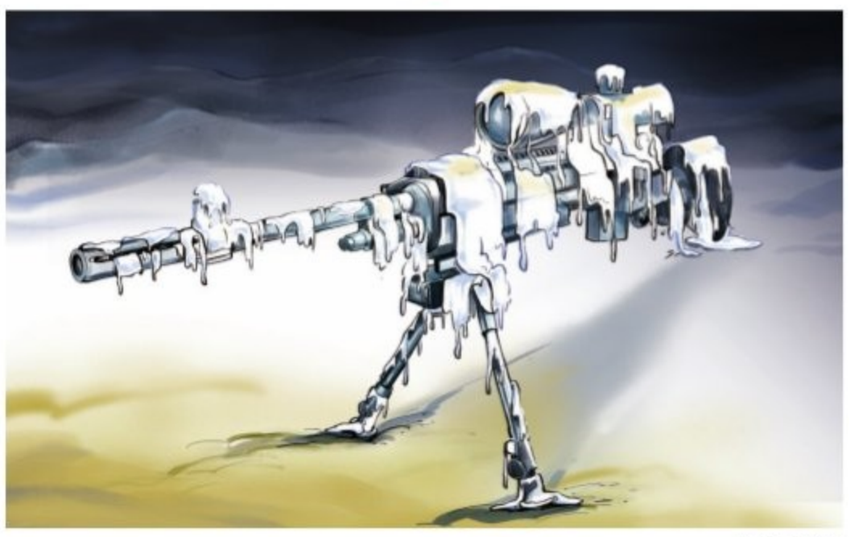

MANDAR PARDIKAR

AUTUMN is a festive season in the Northeast. In the true sense of John Keats' immortal lines in his *To Autumn*, here this is the "season of mist and mellow fruitfulness, close bosom-friend of the maturing sun". The rains have ceased, summer has eased to give way to mild hints of the approaching winter, prompting people to get their warm clothes ready. Hard labour at the rice paddy fields is over, with the paddies having fructified and awaiting a few more weeks before the seeds ripen enough for harvest.

For any traditionally agrarian community, this a short interlude of restful bliss in the yearly cycle of life. In Manipur, the season opens with some of its most enchanting festivals. This year, however, they were celebrated in subdued ways,. This is also the first time in two years since the outbreak of a bitter ethnic conflict between two of its major communities—Meiteis and Kuki-Zo group of tribes—that people, by intuitive consensus, decided to not completely forgo these festivals.

Hence, during October end and November beginning, in quick succession, Diwali, Kut and Ningol Chakouba enlivened the state. Christmas and New Year are not too far away, and then traditional spring festivals. If Autumn is rest time, Spring is the start of another cycle of life. Therefore, though an occasion to celebrate, it comes with a measure of uncertainty. T S Eliot sums up this mood in his equally immortal line, "April is the cruellest month" in his *The Wasteland*.

The last-named festival, Ningol Chakouba, traditionally celebrated on the second day of the Meitei lunar month of Hiyangei, is of much significance amid the tragedy Manipur is in today. This festival has no religious or ethnic overtones, and is a pure celebration of the family and familial bonding in the primal sense. This is an occasion when married women return to their parental homes for a meal together with their male siblings and parents. *Ningol* is a female sibling (though a ring of youthfulness in the term is often lost in translation) and *Chakouba* is an invitation to a meal.

Though it is a culture that took birth among the Meiteis, because of the universality of its theme and non-affiliation to religion, it is today increasingly accepted and observed by many other communities as well.

This year, a Ningol Chakouba feast organised for Ningols of mixed marriages by civil organisation Indigenous People's Forum, Manipur, at Chadong—a Tangkhul Naga village sitting on a picturesque dam-created lakeside in the Kamjong district—poignantly brought to the fore the traumatic duress mixed community families have been put through by the ongoing conflict.

The appeal from the gathering touched tens of thousands of hearts, if social media responses are anything to go by. Beyond the administrative and political rhetoric of unity and oneness, or else of disunity and separateness, the gathering also reminded all that in Manipur's boiling ethnic cauldron, there has also always been an organic integration process.

That this spirit of coexistence should have been allowed to be broken at all is condemnable, but that the resultant mayhem has been allowed to continue for close to two years now by the Indian state is outrageously beyond comprehension. If the state government was unfit and incapable of tackling the matter, the Centre should have stepped in to do the needful long ago.

A recent statement by the Union aviation minister who's also in charge of development of the Northeastern, Jyotiraditya Scindia, was disheartening in this regard. When quizzed on the Manipur crisis, the minster characterised the trouble as a legacy issue, quite loudly reminiscent of the explanation by conflict scholar Jolle Demmers of the costly delay in intervention by the international community when a genocidal ethnic war broke out between Bosnian Serbs and Albanian in erstwhile Yugoslavia in 1993.

In her book *Theories of Violent Conflict: An Introduction*, Demmers says just as the international community was preparing for intervention, an adviser gifted the then US President Bill Clinton a copy of Robert Kaplan's *Balkan Ghost*, where the enmity between the two warring sides is characterised as primordial, therefore beyond rational arbitration. The uneasy feeling is, many in the Centre actually see the Manipur problem similarly just as Scindia has indicated.

While it is true that even if left on their own, hostilities ultimately have to cease if not for anything else then out of sheer combat fatigue, this can lead to what conflict scholars have termed "frozen conflict". There are numerous examples of this in international relations scholarship, practically all of them with less than desirable consequences.

Because these conflicts end without any tangible resolution or formal peace agreement, the warring sides technically remain at war long after the return of normalcy. The case of North and South Korea is a prime example. The same is true of the Israel-Palestine equation, as scholars like John Mearsheimer have been cautioning. The uncomfortable but often unacknowledged truth is, these frozen conflicts are known for periodically unfreezing, leading to resumed hostilities.

The Northeast is no stranger to conflicts that have become frozen without tangible resolution, and many of them still remain as time bombs ticking and building tensions within. The apprehension is, the current strife between Meiteis and Kuki-Zos tribes may be tragically fated to become the latest in this list, given the general attitude of the powers that be.

Meanwhile, as in any civil conflict where the state has almost completely abdicated its responsibility of keeping the law strictly in its hands, there has been a phenomenal proliferation of gangs of hoodlums taking advantage to extort money from the public. News of kidnapping for ransom, intimidation and brutal assaults on businessmen and salaried employees are becoming commonplace, dipping public sense of security to yet another nadir.

It is against this backdrop that the apparent lack of any sense of urgency leading to the seeming wait-and-watch approach of the Centre, so clearly evident in statements as that of Scindia, becomes confounding.

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WHAT THE GLOBAL SOUTH CAN EXPECT AT COP29

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THE Conference of the Parties' 29th summit to address pressing climate change issues began on Monday in Baku, Azerbaijan as Washington's top climate envoy assured of continued climate action despite a Trump win. From climate-denialism and certain sections opposing climate advocacy, to financialisation of issues that need community and governance initiatives, we have reached tipping points where the price of delay is paid by human lives.

Least contributors to increasing emissions, countries like India have struggled with impacts of climate change. Vulnerable communities are affected due to heat stress, floods, torrential rains, forest fires etc. Now, issues of loss and damages are knocking the developed world's doors—from hurricanes Helene and Milton to floods in Florida and Spain.

COPs have been meeting for close to 30 years. In the Paris Agreement 2015, nations zeroed in on a stretch target—to limit the global temperature rise to 1.5 degree Celsius, a target increasingly looking difficult as 2024 is on track to be the warmest year on record.

Climate change has especially impacted communities in direct contact with nature-facing sectors. In India, states such as Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh and Odisha, with a large indigenous population, remain the most vulnerable.

Despite concerns, on November 11, when the talks opened, governments approved new UN standards for international carbon markets. Nearly 200 countries agreed on several crucial ground rules for setting up a UN-backed international market in motion.

Erika Lennon, senior attorney at Center for International Law called the process for adoption "fundamentally unfair". Lennon said this was hardly a "win" for the people or the planet.

"Kicking off COP29 with a back-door deal on Art 6.4 Supervisory Body recommendations sets a poor precedent for transparency and proper governance. Adopting these rules on highly sensitive and contentious issues during the plenary on day 1 reduces crucial time for countries and observers to debate the issues," added Isa Mulder, a policy expert at Carbon Market Watch.

Souparna Lahiri of the Global Forest Coalition said this exposed the nexus of big oil, polluting corporates and their complete domination of UN spaces.

Among key criticisms of the markets is one on methodologies. These markets have suffered from problems of additionality and leakage. Countries and private players have been able to bend the rules in their own favour, with some ending up as sacrifice zones to be used as ground to accumulate credits even as polluters keep emitting carbon dioxide and other harmful gases, without benefits percolating to communities. In 2023, an investigation by three publications revealed that over 90 percent of the rainforest offset credits that Verra, a registry, had verified did not represent genuine carbon reductions.

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> Developing nations have increasingly mistrusted developed ones when it comes to climate financing targets, as the latter have rarely met them in recent years. Instead of only contributing as governments, developed nations are trying to encourage private capital to invest

This has made watching how the parties set the New Collective Quantified Goal especially important. This is the new annual climate financing target, meant to be operational when the current $100 billion pledge expires at the end of the year. The G77 and allies of developing countries have rejected the first draft of the climate finance text.

Developing countries have increasingly mistrusted developed countries when it comes to climate financing targets as these nations have rarely met them since 2020. As these targets are set to be fixed at higher amounts, developed nations are gearing up for complex financial mechanisms and instruments that will encourage private capital to invest in these targets, instead of directly contributing.

What does the finalisation of this target mean? "There is merit in the demands around finance and responsibility of national governments including India. However, the same principles need to apply to in-country processes and projects designed to deliver development and address climate change," Kanchi Kohli, a legal policy researcher, told me. The demand for global climate finance should translate into debt free distribution at all scales. Climate finance should learn its lessons from the histories of debt driven development.

This is also what makes processes like loss and damage as significant as achieving net zero emissions. The loss and damage fund, set up in 2022 after a 30-year struggle, was a major win for developing nations.

"Climate finance from rich countries to developing ones is needed urgently, and in enormous amounts. The New Collective Quantified Goal on Climate Finance cannot leave room for carbon markets used for offsetting to be counted as climate finance." Khaled Diab of Carbon Market Watch noted.

Adaptation still remains an important but neglected issue and as per COP28 experiences. Assessment and planning needs to be completed by 2025, while monitoring and evaluation needs to be done by 2030.

Apart from direct impacts, these discussions will also have covert impacts such as that on India's coal mining exploration. On the lines of Indonesia, India has talked about co-firing coal plants with biomass, delaying their retirement, Lahiri pointed out.

India has a great opportunity to lead a democratic, diverse and inclusive model to address climate change both within the country and globally... Being part of a process of decision making can not just make a significant difference to outcomes, but also how solutions are designed and how rights are perceived, adds Kohli.

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Elephant passages

Ref: *Odisha needs plan to curb elephant deaths* (Nov 12). The rise in elephant fatalities highlights a major challenge due to human encroachment on habitats, leading to conflicts. While electric fences may help, they often just shift the problem. A better solution involves collaboration between forest and railway authorities to ensure safe passage for elephants.
Avinashiappan Myilsami, Sulur

Ecosystem engineers

Elephants are considered ecosystem engineers. So the state has to work towards effective community participation, creating buffer zones to prevent human-animal conflict, using technology like GPS and drones to monitor the movement of elephants and implementing stringent anti-poaching laws.
Sabareeshwaran R, Tiruvarur

Cricketer safety

Ref: *ICC must find lasting solution to India-Pak issue* (Nov 12). India's decision not to travel to Pakistan for the Champions Trophy is a welcome one. The safety of players is of paramount importance. Hope ICC will understand India's stand and conduct its matches in a neutral venue.
S Sankaranarayanan, Chennai

Successful mergers

Ref: *Graveyard of brands in the sky* (Nov 12). The author gave a good analysis of the merger of Air India and Vistara. Consequences of the mergers of British Airways and Iberia and that of Air France and KLM, among a few, relieves us from his wary attitude. Let the merger take our aviation industry to new heights.
P Chandrika, Karuvatta

Anti-pollution strategies

Ref: *Clean air fundamental right of citizens, says SC* (Nov 12). The Supreme Court's recognition of clean air as a fundamental right marks a pivotal moment for public health and environmental justice. This ruling underscores the immediate need for effective anti-pollution strategies to safeguard citizens.
Sidharth M Suraj, Vellore

Fair competition

Ref: *Zomato, Swiggy say complying with CCI rules* (Nov 12). The Competition Commission of India plays a crucial role in ensuring fair competition, safeguarding consumer interests, and maintaining a healthy environment for businesses. The ongoing investigation into Zomato and Swiggy's practices has brought much-needed attention to potential anti-competitive behaviour in the market. As consumers, we were unaware of the CCI's vital role. This serves as a real eye-opener.
V Parameswari, Tiruchirapalli

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Jagat Prakash Nadda @JPNadda

In Jharkhand, if the immovable property is in the name of a woman, value of stamp duty will be ₹1. We had decided this earlier too, but the Soren govt had stopped it.

Aaditya Thackeray @AUThackeray

While the Entirely Compromised commission shamelessly tries to delay Uddhav Thackeray ji to his sabhas by frisking, why isn't the PM or other ministers being frisked this way?

Mamata Banerjee @MamataOfficial

'Banga Bibhushan' Manoj Mitra had been a leading personality in our theatre and film worlds and his contributions have been immense.

Trump 2.0: Not a change, a paradigmatic shift

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IF Donald Trump's narrow win shook the United States in 2016, the scale of his victory now has amazed the country into silence. Equally amazing is how the US market reacted to his win now as compared to 2016. And how did the economists trash him in his first term and how silent are they now. Unravelling these conundrums will bring out that the explosive pro- and anti-Trump campaigns are not just a battle between two economic or political ideas but a larger war. A war between two Americas – the America of its founding fathers and the America that breaks their statues. It calls for a deeper and at the same time a high helicopter view to demystify the forces at work in the US.

Villain becomes hero

In 2016, Trump was universally seen by liberal media and economists as a villain. No surprise therefore that when the news of his victory trickled in on 7th November night, US stock futures plummeted, Dow Jones dropped 800 points, markets went into a tailspin. But shockingly in the next 24 hours they rebounded to higher than 48 hours before. From November 9, the stocks began the famous "The Trump Rally" that lasted till early 2017. Once a villain, Trump became a hero. The rally, said economists, was because the market was positive to Trump's declared policies of tax cuts, infrastructure plans, and deregulation to spur economic growth. But Trump had declared all this ad nauseam during his long campaign. Why then did the stocks collapse on the 7th night? That was the blinding impact of the vicious political campaign of the entire US and Western media against Trump as one who had come to destroy America in the name of making it great again!

Market economics was fooled by ideological politics for 24 hours. But Trump's victory this time saw the US stocks rise on the day he emerged winner and post "their best weekly performance all year". Learning from its experience on 7th November, 2016, and refusing to be fooled by the anti-Trump poison, this time the market immediately celebrated his policies like they did after 24 hours in 2016. Trump's policies in 2024 are the same as they were in 2016. The whole world is in debate now on where the US economy is headed under Trump 2.0. Before answering this question, a look at the US economy shows that it performed as well or as badly under Trump 1.0 as it did under Obama earlier and under Biden later. Trump or no Trump, the US economy seems to do what it will anyway. Why? Look at the fundamental strengths of the US as a nation.

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Strength – geography and resources

The US economic power does not seem to depend on any President. States in the US are stronger than the elected President. Its economy is stronger than the state. It is stronger because the US is a unique phenomenon in human history. Why? Just a look at its geography, history, demography and politics will provide the answer. The US land mass is three-and-half times India's with a fourth of the latter's demography. It has expansive 95,000-km long coastlines, fertile land, fresh water, oil and coal. Its natural resources are matchless. It has 45% of the world's water, over 22% of the world's coal reserves, over 6% of the world's land mass, over 10% of the world's farmland with just a little over 4% of world's population. It has 256 billion barrels of untapped oil — 20% more than Saudi Arabia. The US, which was a net importer of oil till 2018, is now its net exporter. No nation has this kind and scale of strategic and economic resources. That is the greatest advantage of the US. And most importantly it has no enemies on the border who can take an inch of its territory or a gram of its resources. Its adversaries are far away — Iran 11,500 km away, China 5,900 km away. Russia is nearer in geography yet, as a physical threat, very far away. Surrounded by seas and bordered only by its surrogate Canada, the physical security of the US is its matchless strategic asset. No other country has this geopolitical luxury.

A US with a border with China or Pakistan like India has or with Russia like Europe, can't afford the liberal politics and economics it is so proud of and preaches to all. But this advantage could be turned into economic power only by demographic expansion of America through immigration. It added to its economic power in the past; it is now dynamiting its polity. The increasing economic returns of the US from immigration are now equally increasing the political risk with its borrowed demographic strength tearing it apart. Unless that history is traced, the rise of Trump cannot be understood.

Weakness – demography and polity

Now come to the US political history and demography. It is the only large country in the world which has no baggage of history. Contemporary America had wiped out all natives in its geography — over a 100 million — by the dawn of the 17th century. They are now just 0.8% - mere curios in their own land. In 1610, the non-native, colonist US population as recorded by the US Census Bureau was just 500. It rose to 2.78 million in 1780. Eight years later, a new nation, the United States of America was born in a clean state populated by only the white race from Europe with black slaves. Within that, the homogenous Anglo Saxons constituted 80%. In 100 years, by 1900, the numbers rose to 76 million. Clearly intending to be White dominant, the US limited naturalised citizenship to only "free white persons" with property, not to women, non-whites. With white population hovering a couple of points below 90% from 1870 to 1950, the US rose as an integrated and powerful White nation.

Only after the civil rights movement (1960s), US immigration laws became multiracial. American economy prospered because of multiracial immigration. But that gradually first and expeditiously recently, began impacting on the White —the Anglo-Saxon — identity of the US. The share of the Non Hispanic White (NHW) population in the US crashed by almost 32% to 58% by 2020. Asian Hispanics and mixed races rose to 34% with Blacks down at 13%. The sharp drop in the NHWs from 72% in 2000 to 58% in 2020 — 14% in 20 years — shook the US. Samuel Huntington foresaw this and warned the US of the loss of its core identity — White Anglo-Saxon-Protestant (WASP). With the projection that by 2030 NHWs will be down to 56% and by 2060 to 44%, the US risks becoming a non-White nation. The Hispanic White population will be 27% by 2060 — three-fold rise in six decades — blacks 15% and the Asians 9.1%. Demographic expansion by immigration that strengthened the US, thus eroded the US polity and turned it into a divided nation.

Added to that was the rise of anarchic Woke liberalism which is destroying the remains of the disintegrating US families and communities. In the background of the depressing domestic polity, the euphoric globalisation that wore off with the US financial meltdown in 2008. China's rise as a challenger undermined the hegemonic economic and geopolitical status of the US. That set the compelling stage for the advent of the Trump phenomenon in the US with his slogan, Make America Great Again (MAGA).

Made a fool of detractors

As Trump unveiled his policies in the 2016 Presidential race, Obama's chief economic adviser Larry Summers said, "Under Trump, I would expect a protracted recession to begin within 18 months. The damage would be felt far beyond the United States." Citigroup warned that "A Trump victory could cause a global recession." *The Washington Post* wrote, "President Trump could destroy the world economy." Steve Rattner, an economics guru, said: "If Trump wins you will see a market crash of historic proportions. The markets are terrified of him." Simon Johnson, an MIT economics professor, wrote, "Trump would likely cause the stock market to crash and plunge the world into recession." When Trump was seemingly winning and the markets were plunging the day after the poll, Nobel Laureate in economics Paul Krugman said, "We are very probably looking at a global recession, with no end in sight." Even after he won, a headline in the UK's *Independent* in January 2017, read: "Donald Trump's first gift to the world will be another financial crisis." In the face of these catastrophic predictions, Trump, who had promised 3.5 per cent growth, delivered it along with the lowest unemployment rate few presidents after Ronald Reagan could achieve. Trump made his detractors look like fools as he rewrote the domestic rules of the US.

Rewrote US-Rest relations

Many haven't noticed that Trump has also once and for all rewritten the relations of the US with the rest of the world. When the Berlin Wall collapsed, along with it the Soviet Union, the US became so euphoric that it concluded that the Western liberal democracy and market capitalism had finally won against the Rest. It clamped on the One-Size-Fits-All world order — globalisation — symbolised by WTO and its siblings that rested on the assumption of its financial, technological, systemic and military superiority over the Rest.

The US did itself in by admitting China into global markets. In less than two decades, China emerged to challenge the US. Even before Trump filed his nomination papers for the 2016 elections, the US and the EU filed applications in the WTO to declare China as not a market economy!

But the US did itself in by declaring and admitting the autocratic China as a market economy into its and global markets. In less than two decades, autocratic China exploited the transparent US and global markets and emerged to challenge the US itself. Even before Trump filed his nomination papers for the 2016 elections, the US and the EU had to file applications in the WTO, believe it, to declare China as not a market economy!

When Trump came, he launched an assault on China, levied tariffs on the EU and even India. If China were declared as a market economy, it would not be easy to levy the punitive anti-dumping duty on it. He threatened the WTO that if it did not declare China as a non-market economy, the US would leave the WTO. He refused to appoint judges for the dispute settlement mechanism of WTO; so questionable US levies on China, EU and others could not be disputed. Trump declared that globalism was no more on the US agenda. It was America first. Result, after the pandemic and the Ukraine war, even the chief protagonist of globalisation and anti-Trump crusader, *The Economist* magazine, has declared globalisation as dead.

Biden followed Trump

Joe Biden who came to power after Trump, declaring him as the destroyer of the US and the global economy, did not change a line of core Trumpism but followed it. Trump invoked national security provisions to impose a 25% tariff on steel and 10% on aluminium from India and the EU, breaking the policy of not targeting friendly nations. Biden kept talking with India and the EU but would not lift the tariffs.

Trump disabled the WTO's dispute settlement mechanism and castrated the WTO. Biden promised to revive it but did not during his entire tenure of four years. Trump's protectionism grew, not eroded, under him. Trump waged his famous tariff war on China citing unfair trade practices. Biden followed him, increased the tariffs on Chinese electric vehicles (EVs) from 25% to 100% this year, and on certain steel and aluminium products from 0-7.5% to 25% citing the very theory enunciated by Trump. Why couldn't Biden undo what Trump did? Why did he follow him instead? Trump or no Trump, Trumpism will last. That is the message of the US for the world.

What Trump symbolises is not just an electoral change but a paradigmatic shift that was brooding in the US for over a decade and has exploded as the Trump phenomenon. What is the consequence of it to the US and the world? Only the future can tell.

Trade with Russia to touch $100 bn by '30: Jaishankar

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

EXTERNAL Affairs Minister S Jaishankar and Russia's First Deputy Prime Minister Denis Manturov on Tuesday co-chaired the 25th session of the Inter-governmental commission on trade, economic, scientific, technological and cultural cooperation in New Delhi on Tuesday. Trade between India and Russia has registered a five-fold increase in the past five years and by 9% during the first eight months of the ongoing year.

Bilateral trade between the two countries is $60 billion at present and Jaishankar hoped that it would reach $100 billion by 2030.

India hoped that the balance of trade would improve. Manturov hoped for a conclusion of a Free Trade Agreement (FTA) between Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) and India and also a bilateral agreement on services and investments.

PM Narendra Modi meets Russia Deputy PM Denis Manturov in New Delhi | PTI

The two sides also spoke about expanding cooperation between Russian and Indian banks as the present share of settlements in national and alternative currencies is 90%. "It is equally important to coordinate efforts in the transport sector. We are interested in expanding direct air traffic between our countries. We expect to increase the frequency of flights, develop the route network, and resume flights of Indian air carriers," said Manturov.

No oral requests for urgent hearing: CJI

SUCHITRA K MOHANTY @ New Delhi

A day after assuming office, Chief Justice of India (CJI) Sanjiv Khanna on Tuesday stated that no oral submissions for urgent listing and hearing of cases will be permitted and urged the lawyers to either send emails or written letters for it.

Usually lawyers mention their cases before the CJI-led bench at the outset of the day's proceedings for out of turn listings and hearing of cases on grounds of urgency.

"No written or oral mentionings anymore. Only in email or written slip/letters. Just state the reasons for urgency," the CJI said. He has outlined a citizen-centric agenda for judicial reforms and said ensuring easy access to justice and equal treatment to citizens regardless of their status is the constitutional duty of the judiciary.

To this, a lawyer, on condition of anonymity, told this newspaper that the new step by the new CJI was good as no out of turn hearing, before written slips and letters, would be entertained to list a matter.

President Droupadi Murmu greets CJI Sanjiv Khanna, ex-CJI DY Chandrachud, V-P Jagdeep Dhankhar and Defence Minister Rajnath Singh at a dinner hosted by her | PTI

Justice Khanna, who was sworn in as the 51st CJI by President Droupadi Murmu at the Rashtrapati Bhavan on Monday, expressed deep honour in leading the judiciary, the third pillar of democracy.

"Judiciary is an integral, yet distinct and independent part of governance. The Constitution trusts upon us the role of constitutional guardian, protector of fundamental rights, and responsibility to fulfil the important task of being a service provider of justice," the CJI had said in his first statement.

He said, "The justice delivery framework in terms of providing equal treatment necessitates fair opportunity to succeed to all, regardless of status, wealth or power, and a just and unbiased adjudication. These mark our core principles."

Justice AS Oka new member in SC Collegium

SUCHITRA K MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE five-member Supreme Court Collegium, now headed by the new Chief Justice Sanjiv Khanna, includes A S Oka as one of its members.

The reconstitution of collegium is a consequential event after the superannuation of former CJI DY Chandrachud on November 10.

The five-member collegium, which is responsible for recommending judges for apex court, and high court judges, would comprise the CJI and Justices B R Gavai, Surya Kant, Hrishikesh Roy and A S Oka.

The recent reshuffle also established a three-member Collegium responsible for appointing HC judges, comprising the CJI, Justices Gavai Surya Kant.

PK Mishra bats for building disaster resilience

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE best way to deal with disasters is to prevent them, PK Mishra, Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister, said on Tuesday, emphasising that proactive measures are essential to safeguard communities.

"Disaster risk reduction is not just about responding to disasters but also about building resilience," Mishra said, quoting PM Narendra Modi.

"We must work together across borders and disciplines to create a safer world," he said, highlighting the importance of collaboration in addressing global challenges like glacial lake outburst flood (GLOF). He said mitigating risks associated with glacial lakes is to ensure a safer future for communities.

Complimenting the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) and the department of water resources for organising the 4th workshop of the Committee on Disaster Risk Reduction, Mishra dwelt on international perspectives and experiences, specially India's, gaps and challenges in mitigating the risks.

PK Mishra speaks at the workshop on GLOF risk reduction on Tuesday | EXPRESS

He said the discussion on Sikkim glacial lake outburst flood disaster has brought to focus the enormity of the challenge. "Indeed, the South Lhonak GLOF was a wake-up call for all of us and required urgent measures for effective strategies to address risks associated with glacial lakes," he added.

Mishra said India's commitment extends beyond national borders, calling for engagement with GLOF experts from countries, such as Bhutan, Nepal, Peru, Switzerland and Tajikistan. "Such collaboration is vital for enhancing our understanding of response strategies," he said.

Mishra underlined the key contributions from experts, including from abroad, who have enriched the understanding of the critical issues. Structuring the deliberations, he mentioned about the challenges including the confusion over the quantum of the problem defined in terms of the number of glacial lakes and risk factors associated with them.

In a 1st, govt approves all-women CISF battalion to keep vital installations safe

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

THE Centre on Tuesday announced that it has approved a first-ever all-women CISF reserve battalion comprising more than 1,000 personnel, keeping in mind the burgeoning duties of the force at airports and similar installations of strategic and national importance.

The decision in this regard was taken by the Union Ministry of Home Affairs, following the growing demand for women representation in security roles, especially at critical facilities like airports, metro stations, and national monuments, a senior official said.

"The newly sanctioned all-women reserve battalion will have 1,025 personnel, all of whom will be selected from within the existing Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) workforce, which is approximately 2 lakh strong. The battalion will be led by an officer holding the rank of Senior Commandant, with the personnel expected to handle a variety of duties at sensitive installations across the country," a senior official said.

Women in force

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The CISF has 12 reserve battalions under its establishment at present. As the name suggests, these units are kept in reserve and used as reinforcement when the force is assigned a new job, such as temporary duties of conducting elections and permanent tasks of guarding the Parliament House complex that came under CISF cover earlier this year.

The force has a huge women interface at facilities such as the 68 civil airports, the Delhi Metro and historical monuments such as the Taj Mahal and the Red Fort, an MHA official said, adding that the force had projected a requirement for an all-women reserve battalion.

STUDENTS' PROTEST

While the protest by students in Prayagraj — against the UPPSC's decision to conduct the RO-ARO and PCS preliminary exams over two days and in two shifts — continued for the second day on Tuesday, the UPPSC has started preparations for the PCS exam on December 7 and 8.

3.5 MAGNITUDE EARTHQUAKE JOLTED SIKKIM ON TUESDAY

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	35	20	Mumbai	37	24
Bhopal	31	15	Panaji	32	27
Jaipur	32	16	Patna	32	19
Amritsar	28	15	Lucknow	32	16
Chennai	29	27	Port Blair	31	27
Kolkata	32	22	Imphal	27	12
Srinagar	18	0	Chandigarh	28	12

● PM sharpens attack, says Congress was gripped by a sense of royal family rule ● Cong focuses on farmers, OBCs and Constitution

Modi seeks Maha votes for double-engine govt...

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

ON a campaign trail in poll-bound Maharashtra, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday hit out at the Congress charging it with doing Pakistan bidding by demanding to restore Article 370 in J&K.

Speaking at Chimur in Chandrapur district, the PM alleged ill treatment by Congress for the backward classes ever since Independence. He said the Congress never allowed Dalits, tribals and OBCs to progress. He also announced financial aid for soybean farmers facing recent challenges following a crash in domestic prices of the crop.

He alleged that the Congress was gripped by a sense of royal family rule. "The party behaves in such a way that they are born to rule the country. This is a harmful mentality. They ignore the rights of the common people and protect its own interests only," Modi said.

"Our Sankalp Patra (manifesto) would act as a pledge for Maharashtra's development. The massive crowd here is a testament that the MahaYuti alliance will retain power with a significant majority," he said.

Referring to the political developments in J&K, Modi said the alliance partner of the Congress wanted to bring back Article 370. They tabled such a proposal on the floor of the House. "These people did the same work that Pakistan wanted to do. Congress is working in reverse gear," Modi said.

The government, he said, has kept the Naxalite activities under check in the Gadchiroli-Chandrapur area. "Today, people can take a sigh of relief, but the Naxal movement can be back if the Congress is in power in Maharashtra. But people of Chimur understand the BJP's importance," the PM said.

He alleged that the opposition MVA worked as a speed-breaker for welfare schemes. "MahaYuti is a double-engine government that undertakes development projects. That's why it is important to have MahaYuti in Maharashtra and NDA at Centre," he said.

"In Chandrapur, Congress never brought the railway connectivity, but BJP did. That is the difference between the Congress and the BJP. People know only Mahayuti can deliver on its promises in Maharashtra," PM said.

PM Modi at a public meeting at Chimur in Chandrapur district, Maharashtra | PTI

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Narendra Modi, Prime Minister

... meanwhile, Rahul raps PM over farm loan waiver

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

KEEPING up his attack on the BJP, Rahul Gandhi on Tuesday said while Prime Minister Narendra Modi had waived loans of ₹16 lakh crore due to big industrialists, he had not rid a single farmer of loan. "This is the real face of the BJP and Modi," said the Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha.

The Congress leader held a public meeting in Gondia in Vidarbha region of Maharashtra for opposition MVA candidates. He said even in the face of farmer protests, the PM kept claiming that the now-repealed agricultural laws were meant to benefit them.

"If those laws were for the benefit of farmers, then why did farmers oppose it and call them black laws? The BJP government is not paying fair prices for paddy, soybean and cotton. These farm produce are sold below the minimum support price (MSP), but the government is not concerned," Rahul alleged.

He said the PM was a supporter of big businesses. "He went to attend a wedding in the Ambani family, but I didn't because I belong to people like you," he told the gathering.

Rahul said the country's Constitution reflected thoughts of Lord Buddha, Saint Basaveshwara, Mahatma Phule, Mahatma Gandhi, and Dr BR Ambedkar and Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj. "These thoughts brought equality, love, and respect for all religions. But BJP and its leaders have got an objection over a red-coloured constitution," said Rahul.

"Our Constitution does not teach us to kill people, do injustice to farmers and oppress the poor. But the BJP continues to do just the opposite. The PM has not read the Constitution and BJP & RSS do not respect the Constitution," said Rahul.

"That's why they are trying to destroy the Constitution written by DR BR Ambedkar. Congress is fighting to protect the Constitution," Rahul said.

He said the PM called himself an OBC, but constantly insults the same OBCs. "The OBC community comprises 50% of the population, but the Modi government spends very little on them," said the Opposition leader.

Rahul Gandhi interacts with Maharashtra farmers through a video call | X

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Rahul Gandhi, Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha

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Deoband lifts ban on entry of women

Asia's biggest Islamic seminary Darul Uloom Deoband has lifted ban on entry of women making it conditional with in purdah (veil) on its premises. Six months ago, it had imposed the ban on the ground that women uploaded reels of their visit on social media, which brought disrepute to the institution. Now, women will have to follow some rules to ensure their entry into the seminary premises. A visitors' pass will be issued to women and it will be valid only for two hours. Women will be allowed to enter only in veil and with mahram (husband, guardian or any family member not required to be in purdah). There will be a ban on eating food on the premises. They will not be allowed to carry a camera inside the premises.

Varanasi to be decked up with 17L diyas on Nov 15

Varanasi will celebrate 'Dev Deepawali' on November 15 when over 17 lakh diyas will illuminate the ghats, ponds and Kashi Vishwanath Dham. The celebrations will also feature a laser light-and-sound show at Chet Singh Ghat, a green firecracker show in front of KV Dham and a cultural programme at Namo Ghat. Over 11 lakh diyas will glitter the Ganga ghats, more than 5 lakh will be lit at 80 ponds and ghats of rivers Gomti and Varuna, and over 1.25 lakh at KV Dham during the celebrations. Lighting of diyas will take place from 5.30 pm to 6.20 pm, followed by firecracker show for about five minutes from 6.20 pm.

Tough selection criteria for Mahamandaleshwar

The dream of many seers to be anointed Mahamandaleshwar at Maha Kumbh has been shattered. After the scrutiny and investigation, akharas have rejected the pleas of around 80 seers on the ground that they do not meet the criteria to be made Mahamandaleshwar. Many applicants told akahras that they had renounced family and worldly life to become Mahamandaleshwar. But claims of many such seers were found untrue during secret investigations by Akharas.

Firing, violence ahead of bypoll in MP's Vijaypur

ANURAAG SINGH @ Bhopal

TWO villagers were injured in an armed attack by some people in tribal-dominated Dhanachya village of the bypoll-bound Vijaypur constituency in MP's Sheopur district, police said on Tuesday.

Some villagers claimed that the attack was triggered by their refusal to hand over voters; slips for the November 13 bypoll. "The villagers overpowered one of the 6-7 armed men. The attacker was assaulted by the villagers before the police took him into their custody," a police officer said, adding that the attacker has been identified as Bunty Rawat, a criminal from Rajasthan. "A 315 bore gun has been seized from the captured man. Two men, including Rawat, have been taken into custody," the officer said.

The incident triggered a slugfest between the BJP and Congress. "Fearing defeat, BJP and its candidate are threatening voters with the help of dacoits from Rajasthan," state Congress chief Jitu Patwari said. State BJP chief VD Sharma accused the opposition party of hatching a conspiracy to defame the ruling party.

JHARKHAND

Will end coal smuggling in Dhanbad if BJP wins: Shah

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

UNION Home Minister Amit Shah on Tuesday said the BJP, if voted to power, will stop coal smuggling in Jharkhand and make the state "the most prosperous state in the country" within five years.

"I promise you that coal smuggling will be stopped completely in Jharkhand if BJP comes to power," Shah said at a poll rally in Jharia, a coal belt in Dhanbad district.

He said Jharkhand's mineral wealth holds the key to its development but its growth has been stunted under the previous governments. "Factories will be set up for mineral processing and power plants for coal production, so that the youth in coal regions need not leave the state for jobs," Shah said, outlining BJP's vision for Jharkhand's development. "You will have to decide whether you want JMM government which makes its leaders millionaires and billionaires, or a BJP government which is making poor women lakhpati didi," Shah said.

Amit Shah addresses a public meeting at Jharia in Jharkhand on Tuesday | PTI

Addressing another rally in Baghmara, he alleged that the JMM-led government was behind ₹1,000 crore MNREGA scam, ₹300-crore land scam, ₹1,000 crore mining scam and multi-crore liquor scam and consumed ₹3.90 lakh crore sent by the Centre.

"Once the BJP is voted to power, it will ensure that if the Centre sends one rupee, 25 paise is added to it by the state government, so that ₹1.25 reaches people," Shah said.

He said Rahul Gandhi keeps making announcements which were never fulfilled. "Not only I and you are saying this, but Rahul baba's party president Khargeji is saying that nothing will be fulfilled," Shah said. "But Modi's guarantee is set in stone. We will work to fulfil each and every guarantee," he said, adding that ₹2100 will be transferred to the bank accounts of every woman and gas cylinders will be given at ₹500.

Shah said "Soren is inviting infiltrators by laying a red carpet. We will throw out all infiltrators and ensure no new infiltrator enters the state."

Mineral wealth

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Fate of Champai, son and 6 ministers of Hemant govt at stake in 1st phase

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

IN the first phase of Assembly polls to be held on Wednesday in Jharkhand, reputation of a number of senior leaders and former CMs is at stake.

Former CM Champai Soren and his son Babulal Soren are contesting from Saraikela and Ghatshila, while six cabinet ministers have kept their fingers crossed before the polling. Hot seats include Saraikela, Garhwa, Hussainabad, Ranchi, Daltonganj, Koderma, Jamshedpur East and Lohardaga.

Former Union minister and three-time CM Arjun Munda's wife Meera Munda is contesting from Potka and Odisha Governor and former CM Raghubar Das's daughter-in-law Purnima Das Sahu from Jamshedpur East.

In Jamshedpur (West), JD(U) candidate Saryu Roy is giving a tough contest to Congress' Banna Gupta. In 2019, Roy, fighting as an Independent, had defeated Raghubar Das.

Congress veteran Rameshwar Oraon faces AJSU's Shanti Bhagat in Lohardaga while JMM's Mithilesh Thakur is locked in a contest with BJP's Satyendra Nath Tiwary and SP's Girinath Singh. IPS-turned-politician Arun Oraon is in the fray from Sisai, giving a challenge to JMM's Jiga Susaran Horo. Ranchi MLA CP Singh, ministers Rameshwar Oraon, Banna Gupta, Deepak Birua, and Ramdas Soren are contesting in phase 1.

Jamshedpur West has the highest number of candidates where 28 are in the fray. Jagannathpur reserved seat has the lowest number of candidates at 8.

Of the 43 seats that will go to polls, 17 are general, 6 reserved for SCs and 20 for STs. The biggest seat is Manika and the smallest is Ranchi. In terms of voters, the biggest seat is Hatia and smallest is Jagarnathpur.

Voting will be held from 7 am to 4 pm at 950 booths due to security reasons and till 5 pm at the remaining 14,394 booths.

2 dead after surgeries done without consent in Gujarat

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

ANGRY villagers stormed a hospital in Ahmedabad on Tuesday and vandalised it after two patients died following alleged unauthorised surgeries.

The incident occurred at Khyati Multispecialty hospital, where families claimed the surgeries were performed without consent. The hospital is accused of exploiting a medical camp associated with government health schemes, reportedly conducting angiographies and stent placements on patients with no prior health issues.

According to the sarpanch of Borisana village in Kadi taluka, "The hospital organised a health camp, many people from our village went for routine examinations. The facility called back 17-18 participants the next day, transporting them in a luxury bus under the pretence of further examination."

Without proper consent or disclosure, angiography was performed on seven individuals — despite claims of no prior health issues — and that some were even fitted with heart stents, ultimately leading to two fatalities, he added.

While two persons died, five others are stated to be critical. Amarat Ben, the daughter-in-law of the deceased Nagarbhai Senma, said, "The hospital killed my father-in-law who was healthy. It must be sealed."

"Our hospital held a camp on November 10 in Borisana village, where many people attended," said Chirag Rajput, CEO of Khyati Hospital.

"About 20 patients required further treatment and came to our Ahmedabad facility on November 11. They underwent angiography, seven had angioplasty. Tragically, two people died," he said.

Gujarat health minister Rishikesh Patel termed the incident "highly serious". "I have ordered an immediate investigation by the State Anti-Fraud Unit under PMJAY," he said.

Bangla influx: ED recovers printing machines, fake Aadhaars & passports

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

THE Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Tuesday conducted raids at 17 locations in Jharkhand and West Bengal in connection with illegal Bangladeshi infiltration and recovered various incriminating items, including fake Aadhaars, forged passports, illegal arms, immovable property documents, cash, jewellery, printing papers, printing machines, and blank Performa used for forging Aadhaar cards.

"So far various incriminating items including fake Aadhaars, forged passports, illegal arms, immovable property documents, cash, jewellery, printing papers, printing machines, and blank performa used for forging Aadhaar have been recovered," the ED posted in its official X handle.

The ED, Ranchi is conducting searches at 17 locations under PMLA, 2002, in Jharkhand and West Bengal in connection with illegal Bangladeshi infiltration, it added.

According to probe agency sources, the raids are the part of an ongoing money laundering probe linked to suspected Bangladeshi infiltration in Jharkhand on the basis of FIR registered on June 4 at Bariatu police station in Ranchi.

During the investigation, it was revealed that Bangladeshis are being illegally infiltrated into the country with the help of private agents and are being provided fake documents to establish Indian citizenship.

Sources said the ED team is searching six places, including Hotel Skyline and Ashvi Diagnosis at Bariatu in Ranchi. The hotel register was searched in the presence of ED officials.

Security personnel stand guard during the ED raid in Ranchi on Tuesday | PTI

Bid to uncover financial activities linked to infiltration

The ED is examining individuals and organisations suspected of illegal financial activities linked to cross-border infiltration. The raids seek to uncover further links. The case relates to illegal infiltration of Bangladeshi citizens into India with the help of fake documents.

BRAMPTON IN CANADA

Consular camp cancelled over 'high threat' to temple

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

AMID the likelihood of "extremely high and imminent threat level of violent protests", the Brampton Triveni Mandir and Community Centre has decided to cancel its upcoming Life Certificate Event.

The consular camp, scheduled for November 17, was meant to facilitate the renewal of life certificates for Indian-origin Hindus and Sikhs.

In the coming days, Brampton Mayor Patrick Brown will bring a motion in the city council to pass a bylaw banning protests outside places of worship.

A statement issued by the temple's board of directors reads, "Please be advised that the Life Certificate Event scheduled at Brampton Triveni Mandir by the Indian Consulate on November 17, 2024, has been cancelled. This is due to official intelligence from Peel Regional Police, stating that there is an extremely high and imminent threat level of violent protests. On the advice of police chief Nishan Duraiappah, we must make the appropriate decision to cancel to ensure the safety of the Brampton Triveni Mandir devotees, community visitors, and the general public. We apologise to all community members who were depending on the event."

We call on Peel Police to address the threats being circulated against Brampton Triveni Mandir

Statement from Triveni temple's Board of Directors

Seeing the help of the local police, it stated, "We call on Peel Police to address the threats being circulated against Brampton Triveni Mandir and provide security guarantees to the Canadian Hindu Community and the general public."

DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM

GOVERNMENT OF UTTAR PRADESH

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Request for Proposal (RFP) for Selection of an Agency for Production & Supply of Maha Kumbh Souvenirs Items

Online e-bids are invited from the interested bidders, starting from **12th November 2024**.

Pre-bid meeting will be organized jointly on **18th November 2024; 12:30 PM** at Paryatan Bhawan, Lucknow. Last date of submission of e-bids is **3rd December 2024; 4:00 PM**.

RFP documents are available on the e-tender website **https://etender.up.nic.in**. The Department of Tourism, Government of Uttar Pradesh reserves the right to cancel any or all the e-bids or annul the bidding process without assigning any reason thereof.

(Director General Tourism)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice hereby given that the Certificate(s) of Siyaram Silk Mills Limited Registered office at H-3/2 MIDC, A-Road, Tarapur, Boisar, Dist:Palghar-401506 (Maharastra), for the undermentioned Securities of the Company has/ have been lost and the Holder(s) of the Securities/Applicant(s) has applied to the company to issue Duplicate Certificate(s).

Any person who has a claim in respect of the said securities should lodge such claim with the Company at its Registered Office within 15 days from this date, else the Company will proceed to issue duplicate certificate(s) without further intimation.

Certificate No.	Name(s) of holder(s)	Kind of Securities and face Value	No. of Securities	Distinctive Number(s)
0002214	Arun Kumar Ranka	Equity Share Rs. 5,30,000/-	750	1225246 to 1225995

Place: Bangalore
Date: 12/11/2024

Arun Kumar Ranka
(Name of holder / Applicant)

BEFORE THE HON'BLE DEBTS RECOVERY APPEALLATE TRIBUNAL
(7th Floor, Shastri Bhavan, Additional Office Building, 26 Haddows Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai- 600 006)
IA. No. 573 Of 2024 in AIR. No. 853 Of 2024
against **Appeal No. 2 of 2017**
(on the file of Debts Recovery Tribunal II, Karnataka at Bengaluru)

State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Management Branch, No. 61, 4th Floor, Residency Road, Bangalore - 560 025
...Appellant/1st Respondent

-Vs-
1.Smt. Pavana G.P
2.Smt. Krithy Pradeep, ...1 – 2 Respondents/ 1 -2 Petitioners
3. J K Transports, ... 3rd Respondent/2nd Respondent
4.Sri K Ramakrishna, Major, ... 4th Respondent/3rd Respondent
5.A Sjamlar Major, ... 5th Respondent/4th Respondent

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS THROUGH SUBSTITUTED SERVICE

Whereas the Applicant/Appellant herein had filed the above I.A. No. 573 of 2024 in AIR No. 853/2024. Whereas the service of summons to the 3rd Respondent to 5th Respondent could not be effected in the ordinary manner and substituted service has been ordered by this Tribunal. Hence, this notice through paper publication. You are therefore directed to appear before this Hon'ble Appellate Tribunal in person or through a duly instructed Advocate and file written statement on or before **21/11/2024 at 11.30 am** and show cause as to why reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default, the application shall be heard and decided in your absence, in accordance with law.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this **29th day of October 2024.**

B. SIVA KOLLAPAN
COUNSEL FOR APPELLANT

1.J K Transports, (A partnership firm),Represented by its Partners, Having their office at: No. 332/1,Sri Ramanjuabhattacharya Nilaya, 3rd Cross, Krishna Temple Road, Mallathalli, Bangalore - 560 072. **... 3rd Respondent/2nd Respondent**
2.Sri K Ramakrishna, Major, S/o Sri Gopalakrishnaiah,No. 32/1, Ramanjuabhatt a charya Nilaya, 3rd Cross, Krishan Temple Road, Mallathalli, Bangalore - 560 072 **... 4th Respondent / 3rd Respondent**
3.A Sjamlar Major S/o Sri H Anjaneyappa, Residing at No. N-189, Kanakanakote Cross, Yelachenahalli, Kanakapura Road, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore. **.... 5th Respondent/4th Respondent**

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WHEREAS the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of SVC CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD. (Formerly The Shamrao Vithal Co-op. Bank Ltd.,) a Co-operative Bank, registered under the Co-operative Credit Societies Act (X of 1904) and registered under the Multi State Co-operative Societies Act, 2002, under The Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 as amended by The Enforcement of Security Interest and Recovery of Debts Laws (Amdt.) Act, 2016 (44 of 2016) and further amended by the security interest (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules 2018 & in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices dated **18.07.2024** calling upon the Borrower/Mortgagor **1) Mrs. Somala M, 2) Mr. Gopal N. 3) Mr. Somesh Gopal** all are residing at C220, SLV Park view apartment, Near Kodagu Gowda Samaja Ullal, Bangalore 560110 to repay the total amount due mentioned in the said notice being **Rs.38,94,146.00 (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakh Ninety Four Thousand One Hundred Forty Six Only)** as on **30-06-2024** together with interest from **01-07-2024** at contractual rate and Legal expenses within 60 days from the date of the said Notice.

The Borrower/Mortgagor mentioned herein above having failed to repay the entire amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/ Mortgagor mentioned herein above in particular and to the public in general that the undersigned Authorized Officer has taken SYMBOLIC POSSESSION of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with the Rule 8 of the said Rules on this day, the **08th day of November 2024.**

The Borrower/Mortgagor mentioned herein above in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of SVC Co-operative Bank Ltd., for an amount of **Rs. 36,75,212.57 (Rupees Thirty Six Lakh Seventy Five Thousand Two Hundred Twelve and paisa Fifty Seven only)** in A/c No. 106218900000933 and **Rs. 1,54,020.43 (Rupees One lakh Fifty Four Thousand Twenty and paisa Forty Three only)** in account No.106218900001045 and totally amounting to **Rs. 38,29,233.00 (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Thirty Three only)** as on **31-10-2024** together with interest thereon from **01-11-2024** until the date of payment, and cost.

The Borrowers attention is invited to sub-section (8) of Section 13 in respect of time available to redeem the Secured Assets.

Description of the Property

Flat bearing No.C220, in the Second Floor, having 720 Square Feet, Carpet area in super built up area measuring about 1065 Square Feet, containing Two Bed Rooms, together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring, along with One covered car parking spacein the stilt floor earmarked for Flat No.C220, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, etc., in the multistoried residential building known as SLV PARK VIEW. constructed over Schedule-A Property, and 453 Square Feet of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule-A property said Flat is bounded on : East by: Flat No. C219;West by: Flat No.C221;North by: Cutout and Corridor;South by: property belongs to Shivarudramma and Sadhashivaiah;

Schedule A: All that piece and parcel of the portion of Property bearing BBMP Katha No.387/158/2 in converted Sy.No.158/2, converted for residential use vide the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, vide order bearing No. ALN[N][Y]SR/33/2017-18 dated 30-12-2017, Situated at Ullalu Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, and totally measures about 1(One) Acre 18.09 Guntas or 63,260 Square Feet, however the area is now being restricted to 62,792 Square Feet as the balance area has been lost due to road widening work and the area now actually available at site is only 62,792 Square Feet, of Land, out of which an extent of 60,700 Square Feet, is the subject matter of Development and bounded on the East by: remaining portion in same property and Road;West by: property belongs to Shivarajamma; North by:property belongs to Shivagangaiah and Panchaksharaiah; South by:property belongs to Shivarudramma and Sadhashivaiah;

Date : 08.11.2024 Sd/-
Place : Bangalore **Authorized Officer**

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
Bidadi Branch

Sri.Annapoorneshwari Complex, Above Canara Bank,B.G.S. Road, Bangalore – 562109, Ph: 080-2728250
Mob: 7625079189
e-mail Id: bidadi@canfinhomes.com
CIN No. L85110KA1987PLC008699

APPENDIX- IV-A
[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Sale notice for sale of immovable property

E- Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd. Bidadi Branch, will be sold by holding e-auction on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **17-12-2024** for recovery of **Rs.14,62,247/-** (Rupees Fourteen lakh sixty two thousand two hundred forty seven only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. From **Mrs.Honnamma C, Mr.Chikkanna L, Mr.Pradeep C, Mrs.Shruthi B C (Borrowers) and Mr. Sunil R (Gurarantor)** as on **12-11-2024** together with further interest and other charges thereon.

The reserve price will be **Rs.30,00,000/-**(Rupees Thirty lakh only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.3,00,000/-**(Rupees Three lakh only)

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of residential Property Bearing Katha no. 81/ 83,E Katha No. 152900400600100210, Bilagumba Village, Bilagumba Village Panchayath,Ramanagara Taluk, Ramanagara Dist,Karnataka, measuring East to West 19.812 Mtr and North to South 10.668 Mtr, Total measuring 211.35442 SQ MTR and bounded on East by : Property of Sri Dhananjaya, West by : Property of Shivalingaiah, North by : Property of Jayaramaiah, South by : Road.

Encumbrance : NIL

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd.,(https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx).
Link for participating in e-auction : **www.bankeauctionwizard.com**

Date: 12.11.2024 Sd/- **Authorised Officer**
Place : Bidadi Can Fin Homes Ltd.

Can Fin Homes Ltd

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
Bidadi Branch

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DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of "The Securitisation and reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)"

To,
1. **Mr.Krishnakutty C S** S/o Late Mr.Shankara (Borrower)
2. **Mrs.Bindu M K** W/o Mr.Krishnakutty C S (Co- Borrower), No 1582, 2nd Cross, Pipeline Road,Prashanth Nagara, T Dasarahalli, Bangalore, Karnataka-560057.
3. **Mr.Murugesh S** S/o Mr.Suresh N. (Guarantor), No.428, Nagarabhavi 2nd Stage,11th Block, 2nd D Cross, Bangalore 560072.

No. 1& 2 amongst you have availed a housing loan from our branch against the security of mortgage of the following asset belonging to No. 1 Amongst you. An amount of **Rs.29,37,202/-**(Rs.Twenty Nine lakh thirty seven thousand two hundred and two only) is due from you, to Can Fin Homes Ltd. as on 30-10-2024 together with future interest at the contracted rate.

Details of the mortgaged Property: Site No.44, Katha No.185, Assessment No.27,Situatet At Aluru Village (Balaji Layout), Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore District, Karnataka 562123, Measuring East To West-45 Feet, North To South-30 Feet. total-1350 Sq Feet.Bounded On East:Site No.41, West: Road,North: Site No.45, South: Site No.43

Registered demand notice was sent to Nos. 1 &2 amongst you under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, but the same was returned unserved. The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrower/s as per the said Act. Hence this paper publication. As you have failed to adhere to the terms of the sanction, the account is classified as a Non Performing Asset on **29.10.2024** as per the NHB Guidelines. The borrowers and any others claiming under them are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rate of interest thereon from **30.10.2024** within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESIAct to enforce the aforesaidsecurity. Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Place: Bangalore Sd/-
Date :12.11.2024 **Authorised Officer**
Can Fin Homes Limited

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

भारत सरकार का उपक्रम / A Government of India Undertaking / Syndicate

ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT BRANCH
No. 524, 8th Floor, Canara Bank Circle Office Building, Anna Salai, Teynampet, Chennai - 600018 Tel.No.2849 6339 / 6900
E-MAIL:cb2361@canarabank.com Website: www.canarabank.com

E-Auction Sale Notice

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers and Guarantors that the below described immovable property mortgaged / charged to the Secured Creditor, the symbolic / constructive possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Hosur Branch** of the Canara Bank, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **02/12/2024,** (Time 10:30 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. (with unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of the sale)) for recovery of **Rs. 24,20,08,063.36/- (Rupees Twenty Four Crore Twenty Lakh Eight Thousand Sixty Three and Thirty Six Paisa Only)** due as on 31/10/2024 with further interest and other incidental charges thereto incurred by the Bank to the **Asset Recovery Management Branch, Chennai** of Canara Bank from **M/s. Dhanyasree Precision Pvt. Ltd (Borrower)** C-10, SIDCO Industrial Estate, Phase - 1, SIPCOT, Hosur - 635 126, **Mrs. Bhavani N (Director & Mortgagor)** W/o Mr. Ramesh A, **Mr. N Naveen (Director & Mortgagor)** S/o Mr. P Nanjundappa, **& Mr. A Ramesh (Guarantor & Mortgagor) All are residing at:** No.234, Sadashiva Nagar, Anekal Road, Attebelle Post, Bangalore - 562 107.

Description of Property: **Property No.1: (Property in the name of Mr. Ramesh A):** Krishnagiri District, Krishnagiri Registration District, Hosur Sub - Registration District, Hosur Taluk, in Mookandapalli Village, the land bearing SF.No. 684/8, Dry Extent Hec 0.43.0, Asst. 1.45 in this Ac 0.10 Cents land within the following boundaries: East : Land Belonging to Sonnappa, West : 20 Feet Road, North : SF. No. 684/7 (Shek Ali Land), South : SF. No. 684/8 Part, (the above plot is further sub divided as new sub division SF. No. 684/8A1).

Reserve Price: Rs.38,34,000/- | **EMD Price : Rs.3,83,400/-** | **Bid Increase Amount : Rs.1,00,000/-**

Property No. 2: (Property in the name of Mr. Ramesh A and Mrs Bhavani N): Krishnagiri District, Krishnagiri Registration District, Hosur Sub - Registration District, Hosur Taluk, in Mookandapalli Village, the land bearing SF.No. 701/1F, Dry Extent Hec 0.38.0, Asst. 1.06 in this **12439.55 Sq. ft** land within the following boundaries: **1st Bit belonging to Mr. Ramesh A:** Land to the extent of **0.15 Cents or 602.60 Sq. meter** in S. No. 701/1F bounded by: East: S. No.701/2 & 20 Feet Common Road in S. No. 684/7, West: S.F.No701/1F Land belonging to Venkatasamy, North: Land belonging to Abdul Rahim, South : Remaining land in the same survey number belonging to Yellappa & Muniyellappa, **Within these boundaries measuring:** East to West on North side : 36.8 Metre, East to West on South side : 37.6 metre, North to South on East side : 16.2 metre, North to South on West Side : 16.2 metre, **Total : 602.60 sq.metre or Ac.0.15 cents** (the above plot is further sub divided as new sub division SF. No. 701/1F2). **2nd bit belonging to Mrs.Bhavani:** Land to the extent of **1980.25 Sq. ft** bounded by: East : Land belonging to Venkatamma, West : Land belonging to Venkatasamy, North: Land belonging to Ramesh, South : 20 feet wide common road, Within these boundaries measuring, East to West on North side : 44 feet, East to West on South side : 45 feet, North to south on East side : 45 feet, North to South on West side : 44 feet, **Total : 1980.25 sq.feet. 3rd bit belonging to Mrs.Bhavani:** Land to the extent of **1978 Sq. ft** bounded by East : Land belonging to Pushpamary, West : Land belonging to Mari, North : Land belonging to A.Ramesh, South : 20 feet wide common Road, **Within these boundaries measuring**: East to West on North side : 43 feet, East to West on South side : 43 feet, North to South on East side : 47 feet, North to South to West side : 45 feet, **Total: 1978 sq.feet. 4th bit belonging to Mrs.Bhavani:** Land to the extent of **1995 Sq.ft** bounded by: East : 21 feet main road, West : land belonging to Venkatasamy, North : Land belonging to A.Ramesh, South : 20 feet wide common road, **Within theses boundaries measuring:** East to West on North side : 42 feet, East to West on South side : 42 feet, North to South on East side : 48 feet, North to South on West side : 47 feet, **Total : 1995 sq.feet. (Bit Nos. 2,3,4 are sub divided as New SF. No. 701/1F4, 701/1F5, 701/1F6).**

Reserve Price: Rs.1,25,04,000/- | **EMD Price : Rs.12,50,400/-** | **Bid Increase Amount : Rs.1,00,000/-**

Property No.3: (Property in the name of Mr. Ramesh A): Krishnagiri District, Krishnagiri Registration District, Hosur Sub – Registration District, HosurTaluk, in Mookandapalli Village, the land bearing SF.No. 701/1F, Dry Extent Hec 0.38.0, Asst. 1.06 in this **1298 Sq. ft** land within the following boundaries: East : House Plot belonging to C. Rajendran, West : Land belonging to Venkatasamy, North: Land belonging to Narayanappa, South : 15 feet Common Road, **Within these boundaries measuring:** East to West on North side : 22 Metre, East to West on South side : 22 metre, North to South on East side : 59 metre, North to South on West Side : 59 metre, **Total : 1298 Sq. ft.**

Reserve Price: Rs.15,10,000/- | **EMD Price : Rs.1,51,000/-** | **Bid Increase Amount : Rs.1,00,000/-**

Date and Time of e-Auction 02.12.2024 at 10.30 AM to 11.30 AM
(With unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of the sale)

Date and Time of Inspection of Property 25.11.2024 between 11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Last Date of Submission of EMD : EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (E-bkray) portal** directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **30/11/2024 till 5.00 PM.**

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or may contact **Canara Bank Asset Recovery Management Branch, Chennai (Ph. No. 044-28496900 / 28496339) E-mail: cb2361@canarabank.com** during office hours on any working day. Portal of E-Auction: **https://ebkray.in**

Date : 11.11.2024 Authorised Officer
Place: Chennai Canara Bank

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No. 3578/PW/EE/BRC/DB/DR/24-25 **Puducherry dt. 12/11/2024**

PRESS NOTICE FOR e-Tender

The Executive Engineer, Buildings & Roads (Central) Division, Public Works Department, Puducherry (Official email Id: eebrcpwd@py.gov.in) invites on behalf of the President of India, online percentage rate bids from the approved and eligible contractors/firms for the following works:

1. Name of work : "Improvements to the cement concrete and bituminous road and regrading of 'L' drain in Srinivasa nagar, Guru Sithananda nagar, Mothilal nagar, Navakulam area, Karuvadikuppam area and Mahaveer nagar of Kalapet Constituency, Puducherry.".
Tender No.31/PWBRC/24-25, Earnest Money ₹ 20,66,981/-
Estimate Cost ₹ 10,66,98,059/- (inclusive of GST @ 18%)
Class of Contractor: Class I & above
e-Tender processing fee (non-refundable): ₹ 1500/- + GST @ 5%.
Time for Completion: 8(Eight) Months (Including Monsoon Period).

2. Name of work : "Improvements to the internal roads of Ambal Nagar, Aruthra Nagar, Rathna Nagar, Golden Avennue, Thanthai periyar Nagar, Ragavendra Nagar, Manicka Chettiyar Nagar, Datchinamoorthy Nagar (cross roads), Ramalingam Nagar (cross roads), VP Singh Nagar, Sonia Gandhi Nagar, Jhansi Nagar in Puducherry".
Tender No.32/PWBRC/24-25, Earnest Money ₹ 13,61,470/-
Estimate Cost ₹ 6,80,73,537/- (inclusive of GST @ 18%)
Class of Contractor: Class I & above
e-Tender processing fee (non-refundable): ₹ 1500/- + GST @ 5%.
Time for Completion: 6(Six) Months (Including Monsoon Period).

3. Name of work : "Improvements to the Internal roads of Dharmapuri, Savari Nagar, Isravel Nagar and Kamarajar Nagar in Puducherry".
Tender No.33/PWBRC/24-25, Earnest Money ₹ 9,52,285/-
Estimate Cost ₹ 4,76,14,243/- (inclusive of GST @ 18%)
Class of Contractor: Class II & above
e-Tender processing fee (non-refundable): ₹ 1500/- + GST @ 5%.
Time for Completion: 5(Five) Months (Including Monsoon Period).

Last date and time of submission of bid on (or) before **04.00 PM on 26/11/2024.**
Date & Time of Opening of bid **10.30 AM on 27/11/2024.**
Pre-bid Meeting Date & Time **20/11/2024 - 10.30 AM**
The bid forms and other details can be obtained from the website **www.pudutenders.gov.in**

No.315/DIP/AD(PRESS)/2024-25 **EXECUTIVE ENGINEER**

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

SUBHASH ROAD BRANCH, ANANTHAPUR
Beside DEO Office, Ananthapur-515004, A.P.,

DEMAND NOTICE TO THE BORROWER & PARTNER

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF CHAPTER III OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

1.Borrower: M/s Vijaya Surya Enterprises
Represented by its Partners Mr S.Sai Jayanth and Mrs P.Anuradha
D.No.23-443-10, Prashanthi Nagar, Anantapur-515001.
2.Partner / Borrower: Mr S.Sai Jayanth, S/o S.Surya Prakash Reddy,
Mallasandra Village, Bagepalli Taluk, Mallasandra, Chikkaballapur, Karnataka-561 207
3.Partner / Borrower: Mrs P.Anuradha, W/o Mr P.Lakshmipathi,
10-Naarasimhapalli Village, Gorantla Mandal, Ananthapur District-515 231

Reg: Credit facilities with our Subhash Road Branch, Ananthapur

The undersigned has issued Demand Notice U/s 13(2) of Chapter III of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 to you on **22.10.2024.** through registered post with acknowledgment. You have not received the notices and acknowledged, hence this paper publication. The content of the said notice as follows. The Overdraft Facility and Term loan availed by the subject parties have become irregular and the debt has since been classified as a **Non Performing Asset on 29.03.2024**, you are hereby call upon to pay the aggregate amount of **Rs.32,47,785.59 Ps (Rupees Thirty Two Lakhs Forty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty Five and Fifty Nine Paise Only) as on 20.10.2024 Plus unapplied interest from 21.10.2024 plus other charges** until payment or realisation to **Bank of Baroda** within a period of 60 days from the date of this notice. In terms of the provisions of Section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in this notice without prior consent of **Bank of Baroda**. This notice is issued in terms of Section 13(2) of the said Act.

Description of the Immovable Property

Property situated in Agalagurki grama panchayat area limits

Survey no/Katha no/ House no/site no:	Extent/Areas of Land	Location/Sub District,Dist./ Village/Municipality
House Plot / Site No.54 Sy.No.36/1, Katha No.121/54, PID No. 152800202200400117.	9600 Sq.ft or 891.86 Sq.meter	Situated at Chedachikkanahalli village, Nandi Hobli, Chikkaballapur Taluk and District

Boundaries of Property: East: Internal Road, **South:** House Plot/site no 53, **West:** House Plot/site no 47, **North:** House Plot/site no 55
Total to the extent of 9600 sq feet within the above residential plot Sy no 36/1, Katha No 121/54, chedachikkanahalli village, Nandi hobli, Chikkaballapur Taluk and dist, Karnataka. Property belongs to Mrs P.Anuradha

Place : Chikkaballapur **Sd/- Authorised Officer,**
Date : 12.11.2024 **Bank of Baroda**

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To,
1. Mr. Narasimhaiah K N S/o Subbarayappa, **2. Mr. Subash N** S/o Narasimhaiah K N, **3. Mrs. Padma A** W/o Narasimhaiah K N, **4. Mr. Kishore N** S/o Narasimhaiah K N, **5. Mr. Prakash N** S/o Narasimhaiah K N, All are residing at: No.61, 'L N Nivas', 16th Cross, Dollars Scheme, Nandini Layout, Bangalore-560096. **Also at:** No. 5 & 6, Park Road, Ramamohanapura, Srirampura, Bangalore-560021.

Dear Sir/Madam,

SCHEDULE: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing No.D/61, PID No.12-141-D/61, Old Site No.D/61, situated at Dollars Scheme, Nandini Layout, Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No.12, Bangalore-560026, measuring East to West 72.0+82.5/2 feet and North to South 50.0 feet together with RCC Roofed 10 square in Ground Floor and 10 square in First Floor Residential building Red Oxide Flooring, Jungle Wood doors and windows with Civic amenities of Electricity water supply and Sanitary Connections thereon and bounded by the following boundaries: East: Road, West: Property No.D-4, North: Property No.D-60, South: Property No.D-62.

Pursuant to Order by **Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore Vide Crl. Misc. No. 2003/2024** the physical possession of the above property has been taken possession by the undersigned with the help and in presence of the police force on **27/06/2024** as per the court order.

At the time of taking possession the property and there were some machineries and movable articles inside the said property. As there was no time to move them instantly as the article/movables were many in numbers and all such articles are still kept therein. You are requested to remove the said articles from the property under prior written notice of at least one day to the undersigned, so that necessary arrangements can be made for you to remove the articles. Please ensure that the said articles are removed within 7 days from the receipt of this notice as otherwise bank would be compelled to cause sale of the same by public notice at your cost.

Hence we request you to please come and remove your movables. This is without prejudice to the other rights and interest of the Bank.

Date : 12.11.2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Sree Charan Souharda Co-Operative Bank Ltd.**

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the authorized officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** (Formerly known as Janalakshmi Financial Services Limited)., under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued **demand notices** to the borrower(s)/ Co-borrower(s) calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned against the respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notices, along with future interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc incurred till the date of payment and/ or realisation.

Sr. No.	Loan No.	Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	13(2) Notice Date/ Outstanding Due (in Rs.) as on	Date/ Time & Type of Possession
1	33649440000049 & 33649670000036	1) Mrs. Manjula L, Prop. M/s. Venkateshwara Hotel, Also at: M/s. Venkateshwara Hotel, 2) Mr. Nagaraju P	04.09.2024 Rs.7,74,813.16 (Rupees Seven Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Eight Hundred Thirteen and Sixteen Paisa Only) due as on 03-09-2024	Date: 11.11.2024 Time: 04.15 PM Symbolic Possession
	Description of the Property: All that piece and parcel of the Southern portion of the Site bearing No.76/16, New Khatha No.76/23, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Measuring East to West 33.9 feet North to South 23.5 feet and **Bounded on the: East by:** Property belonging to Sri Rangappa, **Westby:** Property belonging to Sri Honappa, **Northby:** Remaining portion of the same site No. been allotted in favour of Nagaraj Prakash and a passage, **South by:** Private Property.			

Whereas, the Borrower's/ Co-borrowers'/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors, mentioned herein above have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the Borrower's mentioned herein above in particular and to the Public in general that the authorized officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken symbolic possession** of the properties/ secured assets described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned above. The Borrower's/ Co-borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors, mentioned herein above in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties/ Secured Assets and any dealings with the said properties/ Secured Assets will be subject to the charge of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited.**

Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date: 13.11.2024 **For. Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK
(A scheduled commercial bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

IDBI BANK

CIN:L65190MH2004GOI148838

Retail Recovery, Bengaluru Zonal Office, # 3rd Floor, IDBI House, 58 Mission Road, Bengaluru – 560027.
Ph 080-61451322, Email:- recovery.bengaluru@idbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1)

Whereas, The Undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the IDBI Bank Limited under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notices dated as under calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned against their names in the respective Demand Notices within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notices.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned have taken Possession of the Properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **06th day of November 2024.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the Properties and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the IDBI Bank Limited, for the amount shown against their names along with interest, costs, expenses till realization.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

1) Name of the Borrower: Mr. Deelip Kumar and Smt. Nitu Kumari
Demand Notice: 27.08.2024 **A/c No: 0008675100052836/ 0008675100066112**
Outstanding Amount: Rs. 29,39,794/- (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakh Thirty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Four only) as on 09/07/2024 + Applicable interest and charges thereon .

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY: Item No.1 : All the pice and parcel of the converted property bearing Sy No.78/2, measuring 1 acre situated at Iggalur village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded as Follows : On East:by Sri R Yellappa's Land, West :by M Yellappa S/o Patel Muniswamaiah, North :by Geetha property and South :by K N Surendra Reddy Property.

Item No.2 : All the pice and parcel of the converted property bearing Sy No.78/3, measuring 1 acre 23 guntas situated at Iggalur village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded as Follows : On East : by Sri Nanjappa's property West:by Gomala land of Ramakrishnapura North :Remaining land in same Sy No.78/3 and marasur Jayamma's Property.

Item No.3 : All the pice and parcel of the converted property bearing Sy No.78/3, measuring 2 acre 26 guntas situated at Marsur Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded as Follows :On East:by Narayan reddy S/o Motareddy & Yeradana, West : by K N Surendra Reddy Land North:by Belur Venkattappa & Yeradana halli Rudrachari & Brhamachari Property South:by Ramachari's Property.

Item No.4 : All the pice and parcel of the residential converted property bearing Sy No.308 as per Survey record Measuring 2 acres, 908/2, as per survey record Measuring 1 acre 5 guntas, and 311/1 (as per survey record 311/5 and 311/6 measuring 1 acre 13 guntas in all totally measuring 4 acres 18 guntas all situated adjacent to each other forming a single block at Marsur village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded as Follows : On East: by Sai Prashanth Enclave, West:by Sy No.311/4 and 312, North:by Iggalur village lands South:by Sy No.310 and Sri T Muniyappa's Property.

Item No.5 : All the pieace and parcel of the Residential site bearing No.7, Katha No.966 formed out in Sy No.308 Measuring 2720 Sq ft East to West (35+33)/2 ft and North to South 80 ft situated in the layout formed in Sy No.305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 321/1, 326/1 at Marsur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore South Tauk and bounded as follows : On East:by Site No.6, West:by Part of Sy No.308, North:by Part of Sy No.78/3, South:by site No.8

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY: East Facing Apartment No.507, on the 5th Floor of wing "D", in the Block "I", of the residential apartment complex known as "SIPANI ROYAL HERITAGE PHASE-I" constructed on the Sy No.78/2, 78/3, Iggalur Village and Sy No.308 and part of Sy No.309 and site No.7 of Sy No.308/2 coming in Marasur village, Marsur post, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore having 52.16 Sq mts of carpet area (561 Sq ft) and super built-up area of 77.58 Sq mts or (835 Sq ft) and Two bed rooms, hall, Kitchen Balconies and Toilets, along with proportionate 28.03 Sq Mts (301.72 Square feet) of undivided share, title and interest in the land comprised in above said land of the total project Sipani Royal Heritage with one Covered Car Parking space at the Basement / Ground Level and Nil Square feet of extra balcony and proportionate interest in the common areas such as passages, lobbies and lifts staircases and other amenities provided in the project land SIPANI ROYAL HERITAGE PHASE-I & II and bounded by East by:Entrance West by : Open to Sky North by : Open to Sky South by:Corridor.

2) Name of the Borrower: Mr. Jagannath D G And Mr. Pavanakumar
Demand Notice: 27.08.2024 **A/c No: 0008675100055833 / 0008675100056036**
Outstanding Amount: Rs.35,63,559/- (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Five hundred Fifty Nine only) as on 09/07/2024 + Applicable interest and charges thereon . The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY: All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.11 52. Khatha No.1901/1862/132/l152 (Old Kaneshumari No.132/l152). formed in Sy.No.128/3 (This property has been converted for non-agricultural residential purposes. Vide Order No.B.DIS.ALN.SR(A) 13/1992-93. dated 28.10.1992. duly signed and issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner. Bangalore District), situated at Shree Ananthna~ar Phase II Layout. Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli. Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District. Measuring East to West : 80-0 feet. North to South 50-0 feet, in all measuring 4000 Square feet. and Bounded as follows:- (Now this property comes within the limits of Hebbagodi City Municipal Council) East by: Road West by:Site No.1145 North by : Site No.1151South by : Site No.1153.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY: (Description of the Apartments and 261 Sq.ft. of undivided share. right, title and interest in the Schedule A Property here by conveyed by the VENDORS to the PURCHASERS).

Three Bedrooms Flat bearing No. 403 on Fourth Floor of "SAI ASHRAYA" constructed on the SCHEDULE A PROPERTY. along with an 261 Sq.ft.. of Undivided share right. title and interest in the land comprised with parking space in the Multi-storeyed building constructed on SCHEDULE A PROPERTY. measuring 1305 Square feet of super built area. having RCC Roofing. Vitrified Tiles Flooring. along with water. sanitary and electrical connection with One Car Parking Area in basement And Bounded as Follows:- (This property comes within limits of Hebbagodi City Municipal Council)) East by : Flat No.402 West by : Flat No.1145 North by : Flat No.1153 South by: Office.

Date: 06.11.2024 **Sd/-Authorised Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **IDBI Bank Limited**

2025
Amended budget was rejected by French lower house

GLOBAL WEATHER
LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • LS: Light Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	15	1	SNY	Los Angeles	24	11	SNY
Colombo	30	24	LR	Melbourne	33	14	SNY
Dhaka	33	24	SNY	Moscow	0	-3	LS
Dubai	31	27	SNY	New York	23	18	SNY
Houston	28	23	LC	Singapore	31	26	SNY
Istanbul	16	10	SNY	Toronto	20	16	SNY
London	14	11	LC	Washington	11	4	SNY

Man rams car into crowd, kills 35

43 others hurt, say Chinese police; driver detained; said to be upset over divorce settlement

ZHUHAI

A man who authorities said was upset over his divorce settlement rammed his car into a crowd of people exercising at a sports complex in southern China, killing 35 and severely injuring dozens of others, police said Tuesday.

Police detained the 62-year-old man, who is being treated for wounds thought to be self-inflicted, shortly after the attack on Monday night in the southern Chinese city of Zhuhai. He was dissatisfied with the split of financial assets in his divorce, according to a preliminary investigation, police said. Police identified the man detained in the attack only by his family name of Fan.

Chinese leader Xi Jinping called for the "strict" punishment of the perpetrator according to law, in a statement.

He also called on all local governments "to strengthen prevention and control of risks at the source, strictly prevent extreme cases from occurring, and to resolve conflicts and disputes in a timely manner," according to the official *Xinhua* news agency.

Pople look at barriers put up near a retail store where a man deliberately rammed his car into people exercising in China on Monday | AP

The city is hosting the People's Liberation Army's annual aviation exhibition, which opened on Tuesday, and searches for what happened were heavily censored for users behind China's Great Firewall.

Outside of the Chinese controls, videos circulated on X showed several dozens of people could be seen lying on the track at the sports complex, which is regularly used by hundreds of residents to run, play soccer or dance. In one, shared by news blogger and dissident Li Ying, a woman says "my foot is broken." That same video showed a firefighter performing CPR on a person, as others were told to leave. Li, who is known on X as Teacher Li, posts daily news based on user submissions. In addition to the 35 people killed, police said 43 were injured.

Police set up barricades at the entrance to the sports complex Tuesday, barring people from entering. However, members of the public left bouquets by the square just adjacent to the sports center.

China has seen a number of attacks in which suspects appear to target members of the public at random. In October, a man was detained after he allegedly attacked children with a knife at a school in Beijing. Five people were wounded.

In September, three people were killed in a knife attack in a Shanghai supermarket, and 15 others were injured. Police said at the time that the suspect had personal financial disputes and came to Shanghai to "vent his anger." In May, two were killed and 21 injured in a knife attack in a hospital in Yunnan province. *AP*

Israel opens Gaza aid crossing, ahead of US deadline

JERUSALEM

ISRAEL's army announced the opening on Tuesday of an additional aid crossing into Gaza, on the eve of a United States-imposed deadline to improve humanitarian conditions for Palestinians in the war-ravaged territory.

"As part of the effort and commitment to increase the volume and routes of aid to the Gaza Strip, the 'Kissufim' Crossing was opened today," the army said in a joint statement with COGAT, the Israeli defence ministry agency responsible for civilian affairs in the Palestinian territories.

"The operation... includes the delivery of food, water, medical supplies, and shelter equipment to central and southern Gaza," they said, adding it involved the military, COGAT and defence ministry.

"The IDF (Israeli army), through COGAT, will continue to operate in accordance with international law to facilitate and ease the delivery of humanitarian aid to the Gaza Strip."

Last month, US Secretary of State Antony Blinken and Defense Secretary Lloyd Austin warned Israel it had until November 13 to improve aid delivery to Gaza or risk the withholding of some military assistance from the US, Israel's biggest supporter.

The letter was sent weeks before the November 5 US presidential election won by Donald Trump, who has promised to give Israel freer rein.

Although outgoing President Joe Biden had repeatedly urged Israel to deliver more humanitarian aid and protect civilians, he mostly stopped short of using leverage such as cutting off weapons.

Kissufim, near a kibbutz across from southern Gaza that was attacked in the October 7, 2023 Hamas assault that sparked the war, has mostly been in disuse except by the military since Israel withdrew from Gaza in 2005. *AFP*

RED NOTICE

Bangladesh seeks Interpol help to get Hasina back

DHAKA

CHIEF Prosecutor of Bangladesh International Crimes Tribunal (ICT) Md Tajul Islam has written to Inspector General of Police Md Moinul Islam, seeking action to issue a red notice through Interpol for ousted prime minister Sheikh Hasina and her aides, a media report said on Tuesday.

The chief prosecutor sent the letter to the Inspector General of Police on Tuesday, Bangla daily *Prothom Alo* reported, citing sources at the tribunal.

Officials said a Red Notice is not an international arrest warrant but rather a global request for law enforcement agencies to locate and provisionally arrest a person pending extradition, surrender, or similar legal action. Interpol member countries enforce Red Notices according to their national laws.

The development comes two days after Law Affairs adviser Asif Nazrul on Sunday said Bangladesh will seek Interpol's assistance in repatriating Hasina from India and other "fugitives" to face trial for alleged crimes against humanity.

Hasina and her party leaders face accusations of ordering brutal suppression of the Anti-Discrimination Students Movement, resulting in numerous casualties during the July-August protests. *PTI*

EXPRESS READ

Pentagon secrets leaker to be sentenced

Boston: A Massachusetts Air National Guard member who pleaded guilty to leaking highly classified military documents about the war in Ukraine is expected to be sentenced in federal court on Tuesday. Prosecutors have argued that Jack Teixeira should be sentenced to 17 years in prison, saying he 'perpetrated one of the most significant and consequential violations of the Espionage Act in American history.' Teixeira's attorneys will argue that US District Judge Indira Talwani should sentence him to 11 years in prison.

Olaf to call for vote of confidence in Dec

Berlin: German Chancellor Olaf Scholz is expected to ask for a vote of confidence in his government on December 16, paving the way for a new parliamentary election as early as February, German media reported on Tuesday. The expected vote in the Bundestag would come well ahead of original plans, marking a step to reach compromise between Scholz's party, the Social Democrats, and the main opposition party in parliament, the centre-right Christian conservatives. The move comes after the collapse of Scholz's three-party coalition last week.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client **Sri. Dinakar. Y.** S/o. Late Yellappa. T., residing at No.1662/2, 2nd Cross, Ramamohanapura, Deviah Park, Bangalore-560 021, hereby informs the general public that my Client has lost/misplaced the original Will dated 04/04/1986, executed by his Late Grand Mother Byramma, registered as Document 6/1986-87, in Book-III, Volume 100, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Rajaji Nagar, Bangalore.

The undersigned has also lodged a Police Complaint bearing Lost Report bearing No.1319103/2024 dated 05/11/2024.

Any person having any claims or objections may contact the undersigned within 7 days from today with proper proof of the claim, failing which the undersigned will proceed further and no claims will be entertained thereafter.

Sd/- **Ashwin S.Halady**
Advocate, Flat No.105,
I Floor, Pranava Complex,
5th Cross, Opposite Smart Point,
Malleswaram, Bangalore-560 003.
Mobile No: 9448127435.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Smt.Latha G Pawaskar,** W/o. L.Srinivasa Babu intending to purchase the schedule property from its owner Smt.B.S.Jayalakshmi W/o. Sri.B.S.Bhat for a valid sale consideration. If any persons having any claims, right, title, interest, whatever over the schedule property my forward their objections to under mentioned address in writing within 7 days from the date of this notice, failing which it will be deemed that there are no claims, right. Title or interest by anybody and my client will proceed with the completion of sale transaction and will get register the absolute sale.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the Vacant Residential **Site bearing No.34,** Old Katha No.107, New No.107/34 and E-Katha No.150200200900700114, issued by Dodda Jala Panchayath in "ANANDANAGAR" formed in Sy Nos. 36/1,36/2,56/5 and 56/6A, Situated at Meesaganahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to West 70 feet and North to South 40 feet, total measuring 2800 Sq.ft and bounded by:

East by : 40 feet Road,
West by : Vacant Site No.41,
North by : Vacant Site No.33,
South by : Vacant Site No.35.

Pavan Kumar.N, Advocate.
#37, 1st floor, Railway Parallel Road, Kumara Park East, Madhavangar, Bengaluru – 560001. Mob:8553131399
Email: n.pavankumar91@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client has negotiated to purchase the property shown in the Schedule below from **Mrs. SHOBHA BAI. G,** W/o Mr. Suresh Babu, residing at No. U-14, 1st Cross, Maruthi Layout, Palace Guttahalli, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru - 560003. The above-named person has represented that she is the absolute owner of the Schedule Property. Any person/s, institution/s having any right, title, claim or interest of any nature in the Schedule Property or any objections of any manner whatsoever to the above sale transaction between my client and **Mrs. SHOBHA BAI . G,** is/are hereby called upon to notify the undersigned and file objections / claims along-with supporting documents within **10 days** from the date of publication of this Notice at the address mentioned below. If no such claim is received, it would be deemed that the above mentioned owner has clear and marketable title to the property specified below and that others do not have any claim over the same and/or claims if any will be deemed to have been waived. Any claims raised thereafter shall not be entertained or binding on my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL of Residential Vacant Site bearing **BDA No.283,** BBMP Khatha No.254/283, carved out of Sy.No.26/2, situated at **NAGAVARA VILLAGE**, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, now comes under BBMP Limits, Bangalore, **Ward No.23, Ward Name - Nagavara,** comprised in and forming part Sy.Nos. 24/5, 24/6, 24/7A, 24/7B, 24/8, 25, 26/1, 26/2, 26/3B, 33/1, 34/1, 34/2, 35/1, 35/3, 35/4, 35/5, 35/6, 35/7, 35/8, 35/9, 37/2, 37/3, 37/6, 38/1, 48/1B, 49/3, 50/4, 51/2, 52/1, 76/3A, 76/3B, 77/3, 77/4, 77/5, 77/6, 77/7, 78/2, 78/6, 79, 81/1, 85/8, 86, 87/1, 87/2A, 87/2B, 87/2C, 87/2D, 87/3, 87/4 & 88/5, approved by Bangalore Development authority, vide its resolution bearing No.156/2003, Dated: 12.09.2003 and the work order bearing No. BDA/TPM/PL-32/1685/03-04, Dated:30.09.2003, and the site is bounded on the :- East by : Site No.282, West by : Site No.284, North by : Road, South by : Compound Wall/Private Property (earlier pathway)

HITESH KUMAR JAIN, Advocate
HM LEGAL, No. 24/10, 1st Floor, Haudin Road, Ulsoor, Bengaluru-560042.
E : hmlegal@outlook.in
M : +91 9844372444 / +91 9740071833

AFFIDAVIT

I, **BHAVNA JAIN** Aged about 31 Years Wife of Jinendra Kumar Jain Residing at No. 43/1, SHetty Muddanna Lane, Cottonpet Cross, Akkipet, Bangalore-560053 hereby declare that my names **BHAVNA JAIN** and **BHAVNA ASHOKKUMAR SANGHVI,** belongs to one and the same person, henceforth, I have decided to continue my name in future as **BHAVNA JAIN** vide affidavit dated 14-09-2018 sworn to before notary S. Jayanna, Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client **Mr. S.R. Nagaraj** S/o Late. S. Ramachandran Residing at: 84, 36th Main, 4th A Cross, BTM Dollar Layout, Bengaluru-560 068, hereby informs that Original Allotment Letter issued by BDA dated:11-11-1987, bearing No. B5/84/BTM/M/87-88, has been misplaced while shifting the House. My client has also lodged a police complaint No.1330113/2024 on 12-11-2024 before the Police Unit Bangalore City. Any person(s) in possession of the aforementioned document may return the same to me at the above mentioned address.

Sd/-
S. D. Ashwath, Advocate,
No.83, 2nd Floor, BDA Complex, HSR Layout, Bengaluru-560102.
Date: 12-11-2024 Place: Bengaluru.

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SEVENRAJ'S ESTATE AGENCY
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IN THE COURT OF THE XV ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALORE
C. MISC. NO. 8218/2024

BETWEEN: 1.Mr. Dayananda Reddy L. Aged about: 59 Years, S/o.Late.Lakshmaiah Reddy, T Residing at: No.70/A, 1st Main, Balaji Kuvempu Layout, Chikka Begur, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560068. 2. Mrs. Lakshmamma, Aged about 52 years, D/o.Late.Lakshmaiah Reddy, T, W/o. MuninjuA, Residing at: No. Old No.34-12, New No.250, 1st Main, 1st Cross, Singasandra, Bangalore - 560068. ...PETITIONERS
AND: THE BBMP COMMISSIONER, THE REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS, BANGALORE. ...RESPONDENT

PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas the above named petitioners have made petition to this court under Section 13(3) of Birth and Death Registration Act, for the grant of death of deceased of the Petitioners' Father was LATE.MR.LAKSHMAIAH REDDY.T, S/o.Late.Mr.Thimmarayappa Reddy, W/o.Late. Mrs.Gowramma, was death on 18.12.2011, and place of death:- No. 70/A, 1st Main, Balaji Kuvempu Layout, Chikka Begur, Bangalore South, Bangalore- 560068. Interested parties are hereby called to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on date **20/12/2024 at about 11.00am** informed to show cause against the petitioner failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declare as ex-parte, Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 12th day of November 2024 at Bangalore.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- SENIOR SHERISTEDAR
XV ADDL CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE COURT, BENGALURU CITY
Applicant For Advocate, Rama Praba N,
No.1st Floor, No.3, SR.Arcade, SRK Paradise, Manipal County Road, Singasandra, Bangalore-68.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our Client has negotiated the purchase of the immovable property more fully described in the schedule hereunder 'Schedule Property' from its present owner **SMT.SAMIREDDYPALLE RADHIKA REDDY,** Res at Villa No.127, Vasantha City, Hafeezpet Road, Hyderabad, near High tech city Railway Station, Kothaguda, K.V.Ranga Reddy Telangana-500084. She acquired the schedule property through registered Will dated 06.08.2015, registered doc. No.27/2015-16 executed by her father Sundara Rami Reddy Kanumuru.

If any person/s, Bank/Society /Firm or anybody having any right, title, interest or claims over the below mentioned property, may lodge his/her/their /claims if any in writing with authenticated documentary evidence, to the undersigned within 7 days from the date of issuance of this Public Notice, failing which it shall be construed by our client that there are no claims/objections of whatsoever nature in respect of the Schedule property and the intended transaction will be finalized by our client as if no such claims exist or that they have been waived or abandoned and our client will go ahead with the intended sale transaction in respect of the Schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No.49, H.A.S.B Old KathaNo.284/2, Present BBMP Katha No.446/284/2, BBMP Katha NO. 57 Abbayya Reddy Layout, Kaggadasapura Village, K.R Puram, Bangalore East Taluk, Now comes under Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, **measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet, totally measuring 2400 Sq. feet,** with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows:-

East by : Property/Site No.36,
West by : Property/Site No.62,
North by : Private Property,
South by : Road.

Chandrika P. Shetty, Advocate,
No.119, First Floor, Opp. Tata Silk Farm Bus Stop, K.R.Road, Bangalore-04.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that our client have negotiated to purchase the Schedule Property from **Mr. N. Shrinivasan** S/o. Late S. Narasimhan, Residing at No.2/40, Swagath Shreyas Apartments, 1st Floor, 13th Main Road, M.C. Layout, near Post office, Vijaynagar, Bangalore-560 040, for valuable consideration. Any person(s) claiming any right, title or interest of whatsoever nature over the schedule property is called upon to lodge such claim with the undersigned, with supporting documents within 7 days from the date of this publication. In the event no such claim(s) is received within the stipulated time, it shall be lawful for our clients to presume that there are no valid claim(s) adverse to Mr. N. Shrinivasan's right, title and interest in the schedule property and proceed with the proposed sale transaction.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the SiteNo.116, Sir M Vishweshwaraiah Layout, 5th Block, developed by Bangalore Development Authority, measuring East to West: 09 meters, North to South: 12 meters, in all measuring 108 meters and bounded on:

East by : Site No.115,
West by : Site No.117,
North by : Site No.102,
South by : Road.

M/s. B.M. ASSOCIATES, Advocates
No.7/1, Top Floor, G.J. Complex, 100 Feet Road, 1st Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560 038.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The public are hereby notified that our client **Mr.Bijivemula Sesha Reddy** S/o Subba Reddy, Aged about 56years, residing at Aishwarya Arcade, Gulmohar Enclave Main Road, Munnekolal, Bangalore North, Bangalore and he is the absolute owner of property bearing residential site no.624, BBMP Katha No.617/624, Situated at AECS Layout Bangalore, measuring East to West; 50feet, and North to South: 80feet in all measuring 4000square feet and he is mortgaging the below said schedule property in favour of Axis Bank ltd.

If any person objecting to the proposed mortgage or having any right, title, interest or charge over the schedule property may raise their objections and /or claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence **within 7 days** from the date of this publication, it is requested to the general public to intimate the same address given below, And if any objections /or any claims received thereafter will not be binding, our client will proceed to mortgage the below mentioned schedule property,

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of property bearing residential site no.624, BBMP Katha No.617/624, formed in residentially converted land bearing Sy.No.115/1, 116 to 121, 122/1 and 2, 124/1, 3, 125 and 131/1, 3 of Kundalahalli village, and Sy.No.39 to 43 of Chinnappanahalli village, Krishnarajapura Hobli, and Sy.No.8 & 73 of Tuberahalli, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, (earlier south taluk)Bangalore District, Layout known as AECS Layout,(Layout plan approved by BDA vide order no.TPM/DD(W)206/1987-88 dated 03.07.1987, and now comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahangara Palike, Bangalore, measuring East to West; 50feet, and North to South: 80feet in all measuring 4000square feet and bounded on the; **East by** : Site No.623, **West by**: Site No.625, **North by**: Site No.604, **South by**: Road
Place:Bengaluru Date :12.11.2024

S A LAW ASSOCIATES
Advocate & Legal Consultants
Off.: #29/1, Old No.54, G Floor, Narjappa Road. K.H.Road Cross, Shanthinagar, Bengaluru 560027.

LOST OF DOCUMENTS

I, Narayanamma, W/o Nagaraja.T.M, residing at 11th Ward, 1st Cross, Karenahalli, Doddaballapur Town, Bangalore Rural District. hereby inform to the public that,

In respect of site no.93 measuring 33X30 feets in the name of Lakshmidevamma purchased from Manamale, vide Registration No.1787/1986-87 at Sub-Registrar Office, Doddaballapur, Book 1, Volume 1704, pages 170 to 172, dated 24-11-1986. belonging to Karenahalli Village. Grama Thana Khata No. 222, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur Taluk, I was purchased from Lakshmidevamma.

The original purchase deed in the name of the said Lakshmidevamma was accidentally lost while shifting from Palanajogihalli to our own house at Karenahalli on 30-10-2024. If anyone found this original purchase document please deliver it to the above address or inform to Mobile. No: 8050285803.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Thanvi and Chinmayi Enterprises, represented by its proprietor, Dilip P. Gowda, is in the process of purchasing machinery from Orchid Engineers, managed by partner Praveen D'Souza, and M/S Sai Svadhyayi Private Limited (OPC), represented by its proprietor, Smt. Sahana Sudhakara.

Any objections, claims, or disputes related to this transaction should be communicated within 7 days from the date of this publication by email only, as only written communication will be entertained.

For further information, please contact:
Naveen Kumar S. P, Advocate
Office Address: 1656, First Floor, BEML Layout, 5th Stage, R.R. Nagar, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560098
Email: dnassociates09@gmail.com
Mobile: +91 99649-07299

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public is hereby notified that, my client is intending to buy the below mentioned schedule property, from its owners **Mrs.Komala Charan W/o Charan Kempaiah,** both are Residing at No:211, Grape Garden, Nagenahalli, Near Nagenahalli Church, Bangalore North-560032, if anyone having any interest over the said property in any manner kind may approach and submit your Objections with documents to the below mentioned advocate within **7 days,** or else it will be treated that there are no objections from the any one at any corner.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the converted property bearing **Sy No:17/1** measuring **1 acre 01 guntas,** Standing in the name of **Mrs. Komala W/o Charan Kempaiah,** Situated at **Chikkobanahalli Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District-562110,** Bounded on:
East by : Govt Road, West by : Property of Narayanaswamy in Sy No:16/2, North by : Property of Manjulamma in Sy No:15/2, South by : Property of Narayanaswamy in Sy No:17/2

Mr.Manoj Gowda.P, Advocate,
M.G.P Advocate Associates,
Opp- Mini Vidhana Soudha,
B.B.Road, Devanahalli Town- 562110.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE
B.S.N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore-560 001.

In the Matter of
Case No. O.A. 1884/2023
BETWEEN: UNION BANK OF INDIA, ... APPLICANT
AND: Kamalamma and others ... **DEFENDANTS**
DEFENDANT No. 2: N.M. CHIDANANDA, S/o Late Manchegowda, Nagavara village and Post, Channapatna Taluk, RAMANAGARA DIST-562160
DEFENDANT No. 4: N.M. NAGENDRA, S/o Late Manchegowda, Nagavara Village and Post, Channapatna Taluk, RAMANAGARA DIST-562160.

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Sec. 19 of The Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of sum of Rs. 46,25,355/- (Rupees Forty Six Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty Five only) together with Current and future Interest and other reliefs.

Take Notice that you are hereby required to appear before this Tribunal to Show Cause within 30 days of the publication of summon/Notice or on **02.01.2025** at **10:30 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 05/11/2024.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore.

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited
(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001)
Corporate Identity No. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
Mobile No. 96461-55525

E-Tender Enq.No. 575/P-3/EMPW-12809 dated 30.10.24

Dy. Chief Engineer / Headquarter (Procurement Cell-3) GGSSTP, Roopnagar invites **E-Tender ID No. 2024_POWER_129325_1** Break-down / Preventive maintenance & Overhauling of Bowl Mills (i.e. XRP-803 and HP-803), Raw Coal Feeders, mill reject system & its auxiliaries, preventive / breakdown maintenance of coal pipes, removal / clearing of mills reject, raw coal / coal dust from mills & R.C.Feeders areas, tranportation of mill reject, coal dust etc. from mill area to CHP yard for four units i.e. 4x210MW (Unit no. 3 to 6) of BHEL make at GGSSTP, Rupnagar.

For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **30.10.24/01:00 PM** onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum & addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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China hawks Rubio tipped for US Secy of State, Waltz given NSA role

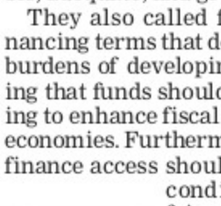
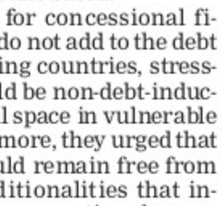
WASHINGTON

US President-elect Donald Trump announced new members of his incoming administration on Monday, and was expected to pick Senator Marco Rubio as secretary of state.

Both Rubio and Congressman Michael Waltz, who has been lined up for the powerful National Security Advisor role, have notably hawkish views on China, which they see as a threat and challenge to US economic and military might.

The two appointees, both from Florida, would be key architects of Trump's "America First" foreign policy, with the incoming president having promised to end the wars raging in Ukraine and the Middle East, and avoid any more US military entanglements.

The 78-year-old Republican tycoon has vowed his second stint in power will result in a radical shake-up of the federal government. In a further announcement, Trump's team said Lee Zeldin, an early political ally, would be proposed as Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) chief with a mandate to slash climate and pollution regulations that are considered red tape by businesses.



Marco Rubio, left, and Michael Waltz will shape America First foreign policy

Trump said Zeldin would be tasked with making "fair and swift deregulatory decisions," with the tycoon promising to shred rules on safety and pollution that he believes hold back businesses.

"We will restore US energy dominance, revitalize our auto industry to bring back American jobs, and make the US the global leader of AI. We will do so while protecting access to clean air and water," Zeldin wrote on X. Top nominations would need approval by the Senate, but Trump is hoping to bypass the upper chamber. *AFP*

G77, China demand $1.3 trillion in climate finance from rich nations

AT COP29, the G77 bloc of developing nations, along with China, has made a strong stance on the New Collective Quantified Goal (NCQG) for climate finance. Representing around 80% of the global population, the G77+China called for an ambitious climate finance target, demanding that developed countries commit at least $1.3 trillion per year to support developing nations in their climate action.

They said this funding is crucial for effective mitigation, adaptation, and addressing loss and damage from climate change, observers said.

SV KRISHNA CHAITANYA
EXPRESS IN BAKU

The G77 rejected the framework proposed by the ad hoc work programme's co-chairs, asserting that it does not provide an adequate foundation for negotiations. Instead, the group is urging the newly appointed co-chairs of the NCQG contact group to produce a fresh, equitable text before the upcoming session.

The bloc said the framework must reflect the needs of developing countries and uphold the principles of equity and Common But Differentiated Responsibilities and Respective Capabilities, enshrined in both the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change and the Paris Agreement.

The G77 plus China also reportedly said that the NCQG should be a public finance goal exclusively for developing countries, not a global investment target.

They insisted that climate finance should be "new and additional, predictable, adequate, and grant-based."

They also called for concessional financing terms that do not add to the debt burdens of developing countries, stressing that funds should be non-debt-inducing to enhance fiscal space in vulnerable economies. Furthermore, they urged that finance access should remain free from conditionalities that infringe on national sovereignty. A core point of contention is the quality of finance, with the G77 and civil society organisations pushing to exclude non-concessional loans and export credits from being counted as climate finance.

Rachel Cleetus, Policy Director at the Union of Concerned Scientists, said, "There's no doubt that the lack of federal action on climate change is a big problem, and it's going to hobble US climate action that's devastating at a time when people in the US and around the world are suffering from extreme fossil fuel climate disasters.

"But here at COP 29 the Biden administration is still a government, and we expect them here to show leadership, take responsibility and push for ambitious outcomes at this COP in the negotiations in the next two weeks."

She added, "Countries should not hide behind the US election outcome and not to do the right thing, because everybody knows what's needed right now to secure our climate goals."

Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX		
820.97 ▼	Sensex	78,675.18	₹1,470 ▼	24 carat (10 gm)	₹77,440	₹2,000 ▼	1 kg	₹91,000	▲ Dollar	84.39
257.85 ▼	Nifty	23,883.45	₹1,350 ▼	22 carat (10 gm)	₹71,000	₹20 ▼	10 gm	₹910	▼ Euro	89.59

Trump factor looms over mkt; Sensex sheds 1%

For the fourth consecutive day, benchmark indices ended in the red

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

INDIAN equity investors lost ₹ 5.76 lakh crore on Tuesday as stock markets continue to remain in tight bear grip. Benchmark indices – Nifty and Sensex – fell by over 1.5% from its intra-day peak, closing the day lower by over 1%. This is for the fourth consecutive day that benchmark indices ended in the red.

Indian equities were weighed down by policy uncertainties following Donald Trump's victory in the US presidential elections, and strengthening of the US dollar amid expectation of robust economic growth and aggressive trade policy under Trump.

Outflow from foreign investors also added to the bearish sentiments as FPIs sold Indian equities worth ₹ 3,024 crore. The trend of FPIs pulling out of India continues in November with ₹23,911 crore net outflow so far. In October, FPIs withdrew a net ₹94,000 crore.

The Sensex ended the session at 78,675, down 821 points from previous day's close, whereas Nifty closed at 23,883, down 258 points. Among 50 Nifty stocks, only four ended in green, while 16 stocks closed lower by 2% or more. The top losers among Nifty stocks were Britannia (down 7.3%), BEL (3.5%), NTPC (3.12%) and Asian Paints (2.86%). The fall in Britannia stocks was on account of below par Q2 results.

The fall in the market was broad-based with most Nifty indices (including the sectoral ones) closing the day with a fall of 1% or more. Nifty Next 50 index fell over 2%, Nifty 200 by 1.17% and Nifty 500 by 1.15%. Mid and small cap stocks also faced the wrath with Nifty Midcap 100 index falling by 1.07% and Nifty Smallcap 100 shedding 1.21%.

Banking and financial services, FMCG and auto stocks were the worst affected. "...investors remained worried about US President-elect Donald Trump's policies. Investors also considered the dollar's strength amid expectations that robust US economic growth and aggressive trade policies under a Trump presidency will drive inflation higher," said Deepak Jasani, head of Retail Research at HDFC Securities. The negative sentiments may continue to drag Indian equities as October retail inflation crossed the 6%-mark after 14 months, dashing any hopes of early rate cuts.

820 points Sensex, and **258** points Nifty shed on Tuesday

- **₹5.76 lakh crore:** Erosion of total investors' wealth
- **₹3,024 crore:** Net withdrawal by foreign portfolio investors

GAINERS & LOSERS

Stock	LTP*	% change
TOP LOSERS ▼		
Britannia	5,038	-7.3
Bel	289.3	-3.49
NTPC	380.3	-3.12
Asain Paints	2,470.3	-2.86
HDFC Bank	1,719	-2.68
TOP GAINERS ▲		
Trent	6,508	0.42
Sun Pharma	1,797	0.13
HCL tech	1,868.35	0.06
Infy	1,861	0.05

*Last traded price

Vistara-AI to operate 5.6k weekly flights

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

AIR India Group has completed the operational integration and legal merger between Air India and Vistara, creating a full-service carrier.

The new full-service carrier will operate over 5,600 weekly flights and connect more than 90 domestic and international destinations with a fleet of 208 aircraft.

The airline will now be flying over 120,000 passengers every day and offers an extended worldwide connectivity to over 800 destinations through more than 75 code share and interline partners, Air India said in a press statement on Tuesday.

> **The merger of Air India and Vistara completes the consolidation and restructuring phase of the Air India Group's post-privatisation transformation journey** — Campbell Wilson, MD and CEO, Air India

Preparation for the full-service merger commenced more than two years ago, and has seen the induction of more than 6,000 staff from Vistara into a new organisation structure, harmonisation of operating procedures across the four airlines, and alignment of over 140 IT systems.

More than 4,000 vendor contracts have been consolidated, 270,000 customer bookings migrated and 4.5 million Club Vistara frequent flyer accounts inducted to Air India's recently-redesigned frequent flyer program, Maharaja Club. Consequent to the merger of Vistara and Air India, Singapore Airlines, which held a 49% share in Vistara, becomes a 25.1% shareholder in the resultant Air India group. The merger of Air India and Vistara follows the merger of the Group's low-cost airlines Air India Express and AIX Connect (formerly Air Asia India) on 1 October 2024. The unified Air India Group now operates over 8,300 weekly flights on 312 routes, connecting more than 100 domestic and international destinations with a fleet of 300 aircraft. In a press statement, the company said that the consolidation of the four Tata-owned airlines into one Group operating one full-service and one low-cost airline is part of the ongoing, five-year transformation program, Vihaan.AI, which is focused on establishing Air India Group as a world-class global aviation company with an Indian heart.

ASIANOMICS

JAPAN

GOVT UNVEILS $65 BILLION PLAN TO BOOST CHIP MAKING

Japanese Prime Minister Shigeru Ishiba on Monday unveiled a $65 billion plan to boost the country's chip and artificial intelligence industries via subsidies and other financial incentives. The plan, which will provide support worth 10 trillion yen ($65 billion) or more by fiscal 2030, comes as countries look to strengthen control over their chip supply chains after global shocks including trade tensions between the United States and China. Meanwhile, Japan's government is not planning any tax hike to finance its 10 trillion yen ($65 billion) plan to support domestic semiconductor and artificial intelligence projects, industry minister Yoji Muto said on Tuesday. Muto's remarks came a day after Prime Minister Shigeru Ishiba unveiled the aid to boost the country's technology sector but said the government will not issue deficit-covering bonds to fund the plan.

CHINA

AIR CHINA BECOMES FIRST CUSTOMER OF COMAC'S AIRCRAFT

COMAC said on Tuesday that Air China was the first customer for the Chinese planemaker's C929 widebody aircraft under development that is designed to compete with twin-aisle models from Airbus and Boeing. COMAC's deputy director of marketing, Liu Yan, made the announcement at China's biggest air show in Zhuhai. Liu did not disclose the number of aircraft that Beijing-based Air China would purchase or planned delivery dates. The aircraft maker also announced that Hainan Airline had placed a firm order for 60 C919 narrowbody and 40 C909 regional jets. Colorful Guizhou Airlines signed a purchase agreement for 30 C909 planes, it added, 20 of which are firm and the remainder provisional. COMAC has said the C929 will have 280 to 400 seats.

VIETNAM

EXPANDS CHIP PACKAGING FOOTPRINT

Foreign companies are expanding capacity in Vietnam for testing and packaging chips while domestic firms are eyeing investments, as a shifting of industrial activity away from China gathers pace due to trade tensions with the West, executives said The semiconductor back-end manufacturing sector, which is less capital-intensive than more strategic front-end chip making in foundries, is currently dominated by China and Taiwan, but Vietnam is among the fastest-growing countries in the $95 billion segment. Hana Micron's vice president for Vietnam, Cho Hyung Rae, said the company was expanding in the Southeast Asian country to meet requests from industrial clients who wanted to have some production capacity moved away from China.

FinMin says state-run banks' H1 earnings jump 25.6% to ₹85,520 crore

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

THE finance ministry has said the banks run by it have reported strong set of numbers with net income surging by 25.6% to ₹85,520 crore in the first half of the fiscal along with rapid improvements in asset quality. Almost 45% of this is contributed by SBI alone with ₹35,366 crore in net income in the reporting period.

While operating profit jumped to ₹1,50,023 crore, 14.4% more growth the same period in the previous fiscal, from which they earned ₹85,520 crore in net income, which is as much as 25.6% more than what they have logged in the corresponding period last fiscal, the finance ministry said in a statement on Tuesday.

The statement added that the aggregate business of the 12 state-run banks stood at ₹236.04 lakh crore, which grew by 11%. Of this global credit and deposit portfolio grew 12.9% and 9.5 % on-year to ₹102.29 lakh crore and ₹ 133.75 lakh crore respectively.

The statement added that finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman earlier in the day met with the heads of the state-run banks to take stock of the challenges banks are facing.

The statement also noted that public sector lenders have shown significant progress in adopting new age technologies like AI/ cloud/blockchain apart from upgrading existing digital infra, putting in place necessary systems/controls to tackle cyber security risks and taking multiple steps to provide best-in-class customer services.

It can be noted that like last fiscal, most of this fiscal's first half earnings of ₹85,000 crore have been logged in by the State Bank only. The industry leader has logged a cool 28% growth in net income in the second quarter at ₹18,331 crore, and ₹17,035 crore in the first quarter. Last fiscal, the bank had earned ₹61,077 crore, which was 21.6% more than what it had earned from the previous year.

'Starlink will receive service licence if it meets govt's conditions'

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

TELECOM Minister Jyotiraditya Scindia stated on Tuesday that Elon Musk's Starlink will receive a service licence provided it meets the government's conditions and addresses security concerns. While speaking to media, Scindia also mentioned that the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) will determine the pricing of the satellite spectrum.

"You have to also look at it from a security perspective... making sure that security concerns are addressed. When they do that, we will be more than happy to do so. There is a specific format, and you need to check all the boxes. When you check all the boxes, you will get the licence. They are in the process of doing that," said Scindia.

Currently, the government has issued licences to Bharti Group-backed OneWeb and the Jio-SES joint venture, Jio Satellite Communications, to provide satellite communications services in India. Elon Musk-led Starlink and Amazon's Project Kuiper have applied but are yet to be approved by the government.

Meanwhile, Indian telecom players Reliance Jio, Bharti Airtel, and Vodafone Idea Limited are facing off over satellite spectrum. Indian telcos favour auctioning, whereas, foreign players like Starlink and Amazon's Project Kuiper advocate for administrative allocation, aligning with global practices. According to sources, TRAI is likely to finalize its recommendations on proposed rules related to spectrum allocation for satellite communications by December 15. The government will then evaluate TRAI's recommendations and decide on allocating spectrum to satellite communication companies, paving the way for satellite-based broadband services in the country. The minister also mentioned that BSNL to rollout one lakh 4G mobile towers by May-June next year.

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> Telecom Mnister Jyotiraditya Scindia

Revenue sharing

He addressed telecom operators' demand for revenue sharing with OTT communication apps, and said the government has established an advisory committee, and initial interactions have begun.

'Identify sites to set up nuclear power projects'

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

POWER Minister Manohar Lal Khattar on Tuesday stated that he had urged states to identify potential sites for setting up nuclear power projects. Speaking to the media after a meeting with state power ministers, he also mentioned that 18 sites have been identified across the country for the establishment of nuclear power capacity.

"Nuclear power capacity is expected to grow from 8 Gw to 20 Gw by 2032. States located far from coal sources should consider setting up nuclear power plants at sites where coal-based thermal power plants have completed their life," said the minister.

He also urged states to expedite the implementation of smart metering projects, noting that this would help reduce operational and financial losses. He further recommended offering a 5% rebate to prepaid consumers. "We have urged the states to proceed in a phased manner, starting with high-load customers and gradually moving to low-load ones," he said. The conference of Power Ministers of States/UTs was held on November 12, and the minister highlighted that today, the peak demand, which has reached as high as 250 GW, is being effectively met through collective efforts. However, in view of the growing demand, additional efforts are required to increase capacity.

NTPC Green to announce IPO price range; seeks $12 billion valuation

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

NTPC Green Energy is set to begin the last leg of the largest sectoral initial share with a ₹ 11,000-crore issue on Wednesday, announcing the price range, reportedly seeking a valuation of $12 billion.

The clean energy subsidiary of state-run NTPC is seeking a valuation of about $12 billion in what could be the biggest initial public offerings in the renewable energy industry, people familiar with the matter said. Issue will open on November 18, and the company said it will announce the price range on Wednesday.

The NTPC Green issue follows the successful listing of Waaree Energies, which raised

$514 million last month and was subscribed more than 70 times with the company getting investors from the likes of Goldman Sachs, Blackrock and Morgan Stanley apart from retail and wealthy investors.

Investor interest has been surging in the renewable-energy sector, given the huge government focus. Renewables has added more than 100 gigawatts in the last decade, outpacing earlier expectations and the target to have 500 gw or 50% of the energy needed being sourced from the green resources by 2030. ACME Solar Holdings, is also planning a $344 million (₹2,900 crore) issue and has received strong demand from both retail and qualified institutional investors. The issue from the NTPC arm will take the IPO issuances to a life-time record of well over ₹1.2 lakh crore that was achieved in 2021. In 2021, the companies collectively raised ₹1.19 lakh crore and excluding the NTPC's ₹11,000 crore and ACME's ₹2,900 crore will take the numbers much higher.

BLOCKCHAIN

Karnataka is a hub for Web3 start-ups: Report

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

WITH 97 Web3 startups, Karnataka leads in emerging technology, and stands out as a hub for Web3, which has transformed users' interaction with the internet. It is followed by Maharashtra with 47 companies headquartered in the state. Karnataka alone holds 33% share in Web3.

The Bharat Web3 Association on Tuesday released a report, 'India's Web3 Revolution: A Compendium of Web3 Firms Led by Indian Innovators,' says while Web1 and Web2 were dominated by Western companies, Web3 presents an opportunity for the country to take a leading role in the new phase of the internet.

Unlike Web1, where users were only able to read data shared by certain companies or Web2, where users could post and create content over the Web, but on platforms mainly owned by big, centralised entities, Web3 aims to create a more open and democratic web, where data and assets are controlled by individuals rather than centralised corporations. As per the report, out of the 422 companies covered in the Compendium, nearly 70%, or 290, are headquartered in India. Within the country, in terms of cities, Bengaluru continues to hold its title as the Tech Capital of India, hosting 96 companies. Mumbai is the second preferred city for Web3 startups, home to 37 companies. As per the report, the country houses more than 400 companies specialising in blockchain development, Non-Fungible Token (NFTs), the metaverse, gaming and Decentralised Finance (DeFi).

Hyundai Q2 profit declines 16% to ₹1,375 crore

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

AUTOMAKER Hyundai Motor India on Tuesday posted a 16% y-o-y fall in consolidated net profit to ₹1,375 crore for the quarter ended September 2024.

The company had reported a net profit of ₹1,628 crore in the same period last year.

Announcing its first quarterly results after listing on stock exchanges, the automaker reported a 8% decline in revenue from operations to ₹17,260 crore for the second quarter compared to ₹18,660 crore in the year-ago period.

Hyundai Motor India said it has sold a total of 1,91,939 units of passenger vehicles during the second quarter. This includes 1,49,639 units in the domestic market, with a strong contribution from the SUV segment, it added. The export volume stood at 42,300 units, HMIL said.

The company had sold a total of 2,09,777 units in the year ago period. HMIL Managing Director Unsoo Kim said in a press conference that the company had challenges on volumes in the second quarter due to the domestic and geopolitical factors impacting its margins.

The Indian auto industry is cyclical in nature, and has its ups and downs, after the phenomenal growth in the last two-three years due to the pent up demand post-COVID, the current demand moderation is very natural, he added.

The automaker fared well in regions like Africa and Latin America, but the Middle East continued to face headwinds due to the Red Sea crisis, Kim said. "We will be closely monitoring the situation, and will also plan to mitigate the risk by focusing on other regions," he added. HMIL COO Tarun Garg said that prevailing high interest rates and lack of pent-up demand in the market were some of the factors affecting the domestic market.

Shares trading lower

HMIL made its market debut on October 22 at the opening price of ₹1,931 per share on BSE. Its shares closed lower by 0.98% at ₹1,804.45 on the BSE following its financial results. The shares of the company are still trading lower than its IPO price of ₹1,960 per share. The company sold a total of 1,91,939 units of PVs during the second quarter.

Nykaa reports 66% jump in net profit to ₹12.97 crore

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

E-commerce firm FSN E-Commerce Ventures has reported about 66% increase in consolidated net profit to ₹12.97 crore in the second quarter ended on September 30, 2024, according to the company filing.

The company, which owns Nykaa brand, had posted a net profit of ₹7.8 crore in the same period a year ago.

The consolidated revenue from operations of Nykaa grew by 24.4% to ₹ 1,874.84 crore during the reported quarter from ₹1,507.02 crore in the September 2023 quarter.

The beauty vertical of Nykaa recorded a 29% year-on-year (YoY) gross merchandise value (GMV) growth, reaching ₹ 2783.3 crore during the reported quarter.

"This was fuelled by new customer acquisition growth of 31% YoY, bringing Nykaa's cumulative beauty customer base to 30 million and One Nykaa cumulative base to 37 million.

This contributed to a 22% YoY rise in annual unique transacting customers and a 24% YoY increase in total orders," the company said in a statement.

Nykaa Fashion witnessed a healthy revenue growth of 22% YoY and its GMV grew 10% YoY, the company said.

Hubballi-Dharwad Urban Development Authority,
Navanagar, Hubballi

Ref No : HDUDA/e-Auction/01/2024-25/3235 Date : 12 /11/2024

E-Auction Notification
e-Auction of Corner Sites and Stray Sites in prestigious Layouts Developed by Hubballi-Dharwad Urban Development Authority Hubballi

(1) Date of opening for e-Auction on **14-11-2024 @4:00 pm IST**
(2) Last Date of Registration for e-bidding is **02-12-2024 @ 4:00 pm IST**
(3) e-Auction live bidding starts on **03-12-2024 @ 11:00 am IST**
(4) Last Date and time for closing e-Auction **05-12-2024 @ 4:00 pm IST** (5 Minutes of Delta time)
For additional conditions, rules and information visit Web site https://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-
(Shakir Sanadi) Chairman
HDUD Authority,
Navanagar, Hubballi

Sd/-
(Dr.Santhoshkumar Biradar)
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Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike
Office of the Executive Engineer, BBMP, K. R. Pura Division, Old Madras Road, K. R. Pura Bengaluru-560 036.

No. EE/KRP/CGND/TND/06/2024-25 Date: 12.11.2024

CORRIGENDUM-II

Sub : Corrigendum of Tender Notification No. BBMP/EE/KRP/TEND/06/2024-25, Date: 04.10.2024.

Due to Technical Reasons, in this tender notification time schedule is modified & the revised time schedule is as follows;

Calendar of events: (1) Pre bid meeting will be held on **21.11.2024 at 11:30 a.m. (2)** Last date for Tender Queries & Clarifications is on : **20.11.2024 upto 4:00 p.m. (3)** Last Date for submission of tender documents on or before **28.11.2024 upto 4:00 p.m. (4)** Technical Bids will be opened on **29.11.2024 at 4:30 p.m. (5)** Financial Bids will be opened on **02.12.2024 at 4:30 p.m.**

Except for the above said changes there is no change in any of the Terms and Conditions of Tender Notification.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, K. R. Pura Divsion, BBMP.

Can Fin Homes Ltd
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Electronic City Branch

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DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of "The Securitisation and reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)"

To,
1.Mr. Praveen Kumar M (Borrower), No.80, 1st main, Kachanayakanahalli, Hennagara Post, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore 560100
2. N Pavithra (Co Borrower), No.80, 1st Main, Kachanayakana halli, Hennagara Post, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore 560100.

No. 1 & 2 amongst you have availed a housing loan from our branch against the security of mortgage of the following asset belonging to No.1 of you. An amount of **Rs.39,77,126/-** (Thirty Nine Lakhs Seventy Seven Thousand One Hundred and Twenty Six Only) is due from you, to Can Fin Homes Ltd. as on 31-10-2024 together with future interest at the contracted rate.

Details of the mortgaged Property: All that piece and parcel of an immovable property bearing Site No.54, V.P.Katha No.76/54 and E-Swathu No.150200103200800102, situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli , Anekal Taluk, Bangalore 560100., measuring East to West 33.528 meter and North to South 12.00 Meter Totally measuring 402.34.Sq.Meter Bounded on the: East: Property belongs to Annayappa (now temple), West: 30 feet Road, North: 6 feet Road, South: Property belongs to Jyothappa.

Registered demand notice was sent to Nos. 1 & 2amongst you under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, but the same was returned unserved. The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrower/s as per the said Act. Hence this paper publication .As you havef ailed toad here to the terms of the sanction,the account is classified as a Non Performing Asset on **29.10.2024** as per the NHB Guidelines. You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rate of interest thereon from **31.10.2024** within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the afore said security. Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Sd/-
Place: Bangalore, **Authorised Officer**
Date :12.11.2024 **Can Fin Homes Limited**

Government of Karnataka
Office of the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hosanagara Forest Division, Hosanagara.
District: Shivamogga, Taluk: Hosanagara,
e-Mail ID: acfhnr@gmail.com
No.:ACF/HNG/MediPlAddlANR/CR/245/24-25 D: 06.11.2024

e-Tender Notice (Through e-Procurement Portal)

Dates are fixed as below for inviting e-Tender as follows through e-Procurement Portal in two cover (Technical Bid and Financial Bid) system from interested contractors for undertaking Advance Afforestation Works (Growing of saplings of Medicinal Plants of size 8X12) as per Physical and Financial Targets fixed for the year 2024-25 under CAMPA Scheme in Zones in the limits of Sagar Regional Forest Division.

Sl. No.	Indent No.	Late Date and time for receipt of tenders
1	15004	21-11-2024, 16:30:00
2	15006	21-11-2024, 16:30:00

For further information this office can be contacted and details regarding the e-Tender can be obtained from the official website https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Assistant Conservator of Forests, Hosanagara Sub Division, Hosanagara.

DIPR/smg/ksmca/24-25/ /11/1015

Government of Karnataka
Karnataka Public Works, Department, Sirasi Division(U.K), Karnataka Ph: 08384-223164, Fax: 08384-224100
No. PWD/SR./Dn/AE/IFT/5054 SH/ 2024-25/1805 Date: 08.11.2024

INVITATION FOR TENDERS (IFT) (SHORT TERM) KW-3

e-TENDER NOTIFICATION (2nd Call)

(1)**The Executive Engineer, PWD Division, Sirasi** invites tenders from eligible tenderers, for the construction of works detailed in the Table below. The tenderers may submit tenders for any or all of the works given in the Table. **The price tender which will be opened only if the Tenderer is found to be qualified to execute the tendered works. The Tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in Clause 3 of the Instructions to Tenderers to qualify for award of the contract. (26.03.2021)** (2) Tender documents may be downloaded from Government of Karnataka e-Procurement website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/eportal/index.seam** under login for Contractors: (3) Tenders must be accompanied by EMD Declaration form Proforma attached (4) Tenders must be electronically submitted (on-line through internet) with in the date and time published in e-procurement portal. The technical bid will be opened after prescribed time and date in the eprocurement portal, in the presence of the Tenderers who wish to attend at the Office of the Executive Engineer, PWD Department, SIRSI Division. (5) Other details can be seen in the tender documents

(Total: 1 Work)

(1) Last date and time for Tender Queries/Clarifications: **21-11-2024 up to 16.00.00** (2) Last Date and Time for receipt of tenders: **22-11-2024 up to 16.00.00** (3) Date and Time for opening of Technical Bid: **25-11-2024 @ 16.30.00** (4) Date and Time for opening of Financial Bid: **26-11-2024 @16.00.00**

***Sd/-* Executive Engineer**
Public Work Department Division
Sirsi (Uttara Kannada)

DIPR/ADK/KSMCA/498/24-25 dt.12.11.2024

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of Executive Engineer-3, H&S, Behind Dasappa Hospital Building, N.R. Road, Bengaluru-560 002.

No.EE-3/H&S/Quotation/03/2024-25 Date:12.11.2024

INVITATION FOR QUOTATION
(Through GOK KPP Portal only)

The BBMP is proposed to procure Components of Oxygen Copper pipes, Valves, Oxygen outlet points, Vacuum Outlet, Compressed Air Outlets, Oxygen Flow Meter with Humidifier Bottle, Theater vacuum unit and other related components for the Upgradation of the Dialysis Center in BBMP Limits. In this regard quotations are invited by the undersigned on behalf of the Chief Commissioner in Karnataka Public Procurement Portal (KPPP) website **https://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** for arriving rates of the materials mentioned in the table below.

Sl. No.	Item Name
1	**Copper Fittings:** Copper Pipe 54 mm, 42 mm, 35 mm, 28 mm, 22 mm, 15 mm and 12 mm **Unit:** Rmtr. **Qty:** 200 each
2	Outlet Points, Vacuum Outlets drops, Compressed Air Outlets, Accessories Along With Calibration Certificates, Single piece wall mounted suction collection & regulation unit, Theatre Vacuum Unit, **Unit:** No's. **Qty:** 50 each
3	**ISOLATION VALVES:** 54 mm, 42 mm, 35 mm, 28 mm, 22 mm, 15 mm, 12 mm **Unit:** No's. **Qty:** 50 each

The Quotations must be submitted online through KPPP on or before **16.30 Hrs on 20.11.2024** and the opening of quotation will be as per the KPPP portal guidelines.
The terms and conditions of the tender and the detailed notification can be obtained from the website **https://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or above office during office hours on working days.

Sd/-
Executive Engineer-3 (H&S).

Aadhar Housing Finance Ltd.
Corporate Office : 802, Natraj By Rustomjee, Western Express Highway, Sir M.V. Road, Andheri East, Mumbai - 400069, Maharashtra.
Yelahanka Branch : #293,2nd Floor, Smk Complex,Ist Main Road, Chikkabommasandra Circle,Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064(Karnataka)

APPENDIX IV POSSESSION NOTICE (for immovable property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Aadhar Housing Finance Limited (AHFL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, Demand Notice(s) issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) mentioned herein below to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-Section (4) of the Section 13 of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement rules, 2002. The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub –section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of AHFL for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon.

Sl No.	Name of the Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower	Description of Secured Asset (Immovable Property)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Date of Possession
1	(COMBINE LOAN CODE_NO. 21500001204 Yelahanka Branch) Late. Asha S (Represented Through The Legal Heir) (Borrower) Nayana E (Co Borrower)	All The Piece And Parcel Of The Property Bearing Site No.34, Old Assessment No.9/2 And New Assessment No.09, Situated At Siddanahosahalli Village,Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk ,And Site Measuring East To West;40-0 Feet And North To South;30-0 Feet And Totally Measuring 1200 Sq.Ft, Bounded on : **East By :**Site No.23, **West By :** Road, **North By :** Site No.35 And **South By** Site No.33.	12-08-2024 ₹ 6,54,761.00 (Rupees Six Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty One Only)	11-11-2024

Place : Yelahanka
Date : 13.11.2024

Authorised Officer
Aadhar Housing Finance Limited

RBL BANK LTD
Registered Office:- 1st Lane, Shahupuri, Kolhapur-416001.
Branch Office:- III Floor, Prestige Tower, 99 & 100, Residency Road, Bangalore-560025.

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE (UNDER SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSET CHARGED TO THE BANK UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 ("SARFAESI ACT") READ WITH RULE 8(6) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002 ("RULES").

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower, Guarantor (s) and Mortgagor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged (collectively referred as "Property") to **RBL Bank Ltd.** ("Secured Creditor/Bank"), the **physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank under section 13(4) & section 14 of the SARFAESI Act read with the Rules, as detailed hereunder, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", "Whatever there is" and "Without Recourse Basis" on 05.12.2024,** for recovery of the Bank's outstanding dues plus interest as detailed hereunder under Rules 8 and 9 of the Rules by inviting bids as per below e-auction schedule:

Brief Description of Parties, Outstanding dues and Property

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower & Guarantor(s)	Details of Property(ies) & Mortgagor	Amount as per Demand Notice / Date of Demand & Possession Notice under SARFAESI Act	Inspection Date and Time	Reserve Price EMD Bid Increase Amount	Date/Time of e-Auction	Last Date for Receiptof Bids along with documents	Name of Authorised Officer/ Phone No./ E-mail Id
1.	**1. M/s. Sangam International,** Rep. by its Prop: **Mr. Zeeshan Uddin Yaser,** No.302, 15th A Cross, A Sector, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064 **(Borrower). 2. Mr.Zeeshan Uddin Yaser,** No.124, Opp. to Mother Dairy SFS, 208, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064 **(Co-Borrower). 3. Mr. Mishbha Uddin Nasir,** No.124, Opp. to Mother Dairy SFS, 208, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064. Also at: No.302, 15th A Cross, A Sector, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064 **(Co-Borrower & Mortgagor).**	All that piece and parcel of property bearing house constructed on site No.302-HIG, in New Katha No.351 of BBMP, Yelahanka Sub Zone, Old Katha No.1218 of CMC Yelahanka, situated at 1st Phase, Sector A, 15th A Cross, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore-560064, and **bounded on: East by:** Site No.303; **West by:** Site No.301; **North by:** Road; **South by:** Site No.305; Measuring East to West: 50 Feet; North to South: 80 Feet, in total measuring 4000 Sq.Ft.	**Rs.2,83,82,530/-** (Rupees Two Crores Eighty Three Lakhs Eighty Two Thousand Five Hundred and Thirty Only) **as on 19-08-2023 Date of Demand notice: 21-08-2023. Date of Physical Possession: 25-06-2024**	**02-12-2024 between 11:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.**	**Rs.7,76,34,000/-** (Rupees Seven Crores Seventy Six Lakhs and Thirty Four Thousand Only) **EMD: Rs.77,63,400/-** (Rupees Seventy Seven Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand and Four Hundred Only) **Increase Amount: 50,000/-** (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only)	**05-12-2024 11:30 A.M to 12:30 P.M** with unlimited extensions of 5 min. Each	**On or Before 04-12-2024 upto 5:00 P.M.**	**MR. BASAVARAJ NAGANURI/ 9740092100 / Basavaraj. Naganuri@ rblbank.com**

Terms and Conditions:- (1) The E-Auction Sale will be online through e-auction portal. The interested bidders are advised to go through the detailed terms and conditions of auction available on the website of **https://www.bankeauctions.com** & **https://www.rblbank.com/pdf-pages/news** before submitting their bids and taking part in e-auction. **(2)** It shall be the responsibility of the bidders to inspect and satisfy themselves about the Property and specification before submitting the bid. **(3)** The interested bidders shall submit their EMD details and documents through Web Portal: **https://www.bankeauctions.com** (the user ID & Password can be obtained free of cost by registering name with **https://www.bankeauctions.com**) through Login ID & Password. The EMD shall be payable through Demand Draft, issued by a Scheduled commercial Bank favouring **"Authorised Officer, RBL Bank Ltd", before 5:00 PM on or before 04.12.2024. (4)** Interested bidders may avail support/ online training on E-Auction from **M/s. C1 India Pvt Ltd Contact No: 7291981124/25/26. Contact Person Mr. Vinod Chauhan Mob No: 9813887931, e-mail-Id: delhi@c1india.com** and for any query in relation to Property, they may contact **Mr. Basavaraj Naganuri, Authorised Officer (Mob. No. 9740092100, email: Basavaraj.Naganuri@rblbank.com). (5)** The Authorised Officer of the Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, & / or to postpone/cancel the auction at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever and his decision in this regard shall be final and binding.

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER THE SARFAESI ACT

The Borrower, Guarantor(s) and Mortgagor(s) are hereby notified to pay the aforementioned sum along with further interest thereon plus penal and other interest and amounts as per the Transaction Documents before the date of E-Auction failing which, the Property will be auctioned/ sold to recover the outstanding dues.

Date: 13.11.2024, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, RBL Bank Ltd.**

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that, our client is proposing to purchase a residential plot bearing BIAAPA Plot bearing No 465 (Internal Plot No. 13-11) measuring East to West 27.45 meters and North to South 18.30 meters in all measuring 502.34 square meters (equivalent to 5,407.13 square feet) located in Phase I of the project known as "EMBASSY SPRINGS" situated in land measuring 7 acres 2 guntas comprised in Survey No 47/1 (old Survey No 47), situated in Nagamangala Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, (morefully described in the Schedule hereunder), from its owners, Udhyaman Investments Private Limited and NAM Estates Private Limited.

Any person having any subsisting claim, right, title or interest, in respect of the Schedule Property or any part thereof, in any manner including by way of easement, beneficial interest or pre-emption or under any agreement or other disposition or under any suit or award passed by any Court or Authority or arbitrator, *lis-pendens*, power of attorney, bequest, FSI, development rights, partnership, family arrangement or settlement or otherwise encumbrance howsoever ("**Claim**"), are hereby requested to respond with documentary proof to the undersigned within 10 (Ten) days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, it shall be presumed that no such Claim exists and if it existed, the claimant has relinquished such Claim and/or waived their right to exercise such Claim.

SCHEDULE

(Description of the residential plot proposed to be acquired)

Residential plot bearing BIAAPA Plot bearing No 465 (Internal Plot No. 13-11) measuring East to West 27.45 meters and North to South 18.30 meters in all measuring 502.34 square meters (equivalent to 5,407.13 square feet) located in Phase I of the project known as "EMBASSY SPRINGS" situated in land measuring 7 acres 2 guntas comprised in Survey No 47/1 (old Survey No 47), situated in Nagamangala Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, approved by the Bangalore International Airport Area Planning Authority vide its modified master layout plan sanction letter dated 27 February 2020 bearing No. BIAAPA/TP01/LAO/38/2014-15 measuring and bounded on :

East By : BIAAPA Plot No.437
West By : Road;
North By : BIAAPA Plot No.466
South By : 3-meter pathway and park

Dated this 13th November 2024.

Rajiv Khaitan
Advocate
Khaitan & Co
Embassy Quest
3rd Floor, 45/1, Magrath Road
Bengaluru - 560 025
T: +91 80 4339 7000

PUBLIC NOTICE

INTIMATING FORMATION OF THE NITESH LOGOS APARTMENT OWNERS ASSOCIATION

It is hereby intimated to the public / interested parties at large that the owners of apartment units at Nitesh Logos, Aga Abbas Ali Road, Halasuru, Civil Station, Bengaluru 560 042, have constituted an association by the name of **Nitesh Logos Apartment Owners Association.**

Members of the public who may be interested in purchasing, tenanting, or dealing with the apartment units at Nitesh Logos in any manner, may be pleased to obtain necessary approvals, permissions and clearances from the aforesaid Association directly. It is clarified, by this Notice, that no other body, association of persons, or entity has the right to represent the owners of Nitesh Logos.

The present notice is issued in public interest.

Any queries may be addressed to:
Email id: nlaoa24@gmail.com
Contact No: 9008533993
Address : Nitesh Logos Apartment Owners Association, 38 Aga Abbas Ali Road, Bengaluru - 560 042.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lost of Property Documents (Original)

I, **K.S. BHASKAR,** Age 73 years, R/at No. 246, 8th Main, 4th Stage, 3rd Block, Basaveshwarnagar, Bangalore - 560 079, do hereby inform to the general public that I have lost the below mentioned documents on 23.10.2024.

1) Absolute Sale Deed bearing Registration No. 1161/61-62, Vol. No. 1382, Book No. I, dt. 25-6-92, Reg. in the office of the Sub-reg. Rajajinagar, Bangalore. 2) Sale Deed bearing Registration RJN-1-03552-2007-08, C.D. No. RJND 116, dt. 15.11.2007. Pertaining to property situated at bearing No. 65/3 & 67/1(A) Block, 4th Stage, 3rd Block, W.O.C. Agrahara, Dasarahalli, Bangalore, having BBMP PID No. 21-115-Sy.65/3-67/1A, measuring East to West : 81.6' + 81-9'/2 ft. North to South : 48-6' + 49-4½/2 ft., measuring 3994 sq.ft.

Inspite of my best efforts I could not trace the same and in this regard I had lodged online Police Complaint on 07.11.2024, Lost Report No. 1323116/2024, Serial No. 1323116. & Lost Report No. 1323130/2024, Serial No. 1323130.

If anybody finds the above said documents or is in possession, please handover the same to the above said address or to the nearest Police Station or Contact me : 98450 65925

LOSS OF ORIGINAL SALE DEED

I, **K. SHRINIVAS GOWDA** S/o Kadare Gowda, aged about 40 years, R/at. No.39, 2nd Cross, K.G. Nagar, R.K. Mutt Layout, Bangalore - 560019. I hav **lost/misplaced my original absolute sale deed dated 23-12-2004 bearing site No.86, Katha No.61/1-A,** situated at Kengeri Municipal, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring 40 x 30 Sq.feet, totally 1200 Sq.ft. while shifting my house. I hereby declare that the original sale deed for the above mentioend property has been lost on 20-09-2024 to 06-11-2024 between at Mahanta Layout. If you found anybody please inform to near by Police Station and please Contact Mob: **9036688831.**

Can Fin Homes Ltd
Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
Kanakapura Road Branch

No. 58, 6th cross,Manjunathnagara, Raghuvanahalli,Bangalore 560 062
Phone : 080-29751565/7625079172
e-mail Id: kanakapura@canfinhomes.com
CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (SARFAESI Act) read with Rule 3(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (Rules)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., under SARFAESI Act and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3, issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrowers / guarantors listed hereunder (hereinafter referred to as the "said Borrowers"), to repay the amounts mentioned in the Notice, within 60 days from the date of receipt of Notice, as per details given below.

The said Notices have been returned undelivered by the postal authorities / have not been duly acknowledged by the borrowers. Hence the Company by way of abundant caution is effecting this publication of the demand notice (as per the provisions of Rule 3 (1)). The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrowers, as per the said Act.

As security for due repayment of the loan, the following assets have been mortgaged to the Company by the respective parties as detailed below.

Sl. No.	Name of Borrowers/ Co- Borrowers with address	Amount claimed as per Demand Notice *	Description of the Secured Asset	Date of NPA
1	**1.Borrower: Mrs.Vasantha** W/o Mahalingaiah S G # No 00, Skandanagara, Magadi Main Road, Near Shani mahathma Temple, Kodige halli, Bangalore-560091. **2. Co-Borrower : Sri Mahalingaiah S G** S/o Giriyappa, # No 00, Skandanagara, Magadi Main Road, Near Shanimahathma Temple, Kodigehalli, Bangalore-560091.	**Rs. 15,53,333/-** (Rupees Fifteen lakhs fifty three thousand three hundred and thirty three only) as on 31.10.2024	All the piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No. 16, carved out of Old Sy no. 66/1, New Sy no. 66/6, Site measuring East to West : 40-00 feet and North to South : 30-00 feet, in all measuring 1200 Sq., ft. Situated at, Giddenahalli Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk Bangalore-562162 & Bounded on the East by: Site no. 06; West by : 25 Feet Road; North by :Site no.15; South by: Private Property	29-10-2024
2	**1.Borrower:Mr. Harish N** S/o Nagaraj A , # No 632,8th Cross, Near Ganesha Temple, Weavers Colony, Gottigere, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore-560083. **2.Co-borrower : Sri. Nagaraj A** S/o Aswatha Rao # No 632,8th Cross, Near Ganesha Temple, Weavers Colony, Gottigere, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore-560083. **3.Co-borrower : Smt.Sharada N** W/o Nagaraj A, # No 632,8th Cross,Near Ganesha Temple, Weavers Colony, Gottigere, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore-560083.	**Rs. 31,26,557/-** (Rupees Thirty One lakhs twenty six thousand five hundred and fifty seven only) as on 31.10.2024	All that piece and parcel of the residential site bearing No.206, Kanishmari No 1075/611/31/206, Janjuru No.600, in the First Block of Property No.31, situated at Shayanaboganahalli Village, Bilvaradahalli Dhakle, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban Dist, Site measuring East to West 40 ft, and North to South 30 ft, total measuring 1200 Sft, In that 960 sqft Built up residential house and bounded on: East by : Road, West by : Site No. 195, North by : Site No. 205, South by : Site No. 207.	29-10-2024

**Payable with further interest at contractual rates as agreed from the date mentioned above till date of payment.*

You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rate of interest thereon within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the aforesaidsecurity. Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Sd/-
Date : 12.11.2024 **Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Can Fin Homes Limited**

STATE BANK OF INDIA
Stressed Assets Recovery Branch
No.11/90, 3rd Floor, Opp. Trust Well Hospital, J C Road, Bengaluru - 560 002.
Phone: 080- 25943677, 25943663, Fax : (080) 25943664 Email:sbi.05173@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable property)

Whereas, The Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India,** Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, J.C. Road, Bengaluru under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notices calling upon the following borrowers/ mortgagors/guarantors to repay the amount mentioned in the notice with future interest together with incidental expenses, cost , charges etc within 60 days from the date of the receipt of the said notice. Details of demand notices such as date of issue and loan outstanding amount are mentioned against each borrower hereunder.

1. Name of the borrower : 1) Smt. Usha S & Sri. Raghavendra Ramesh, Door No. 328/1, 14th Cross, 5th Main Road, Sadashivanagar, Near Ganesh Temple, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru – 560080 Also at: **2) Mr. Raghavendra Ramesh & & Smt. Usha S.** No. C 36, 2nd Main Road, 2nd Cross, Balagangadhara Road, Avalahalli, Mysore Road, Bangalore - 560 026, Also at **3) Sri Raghavendra Ramesh,** Partner of Dawn & Beach, 840/1, 1st Floor, 100 feet Road, Indiranagar 1st Stage, Bangalore - 560 038. and also at, **4)Sri. Raghavendra Ramesh & Smt. Usha S ,** 609, 6th Floor, " Roshan Platinum Apartment" Sy. No. 83/1, & 83/2, Arakere Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru-560 076.

Demand Notice date:14.08.2024 **A/c. No. HTL/39853980692**

Balance as on that date was :Rs. 1,46,68,006.00 (Rupees One crore forty six lakhs sixty eight thousand and six only) as on 13.08.2024 and interest & expenses thereon.

Possession Taken date : 11.11.2024

Outstanding Loan amount: Rs. 1,49,88,158.00 (Rupees One crore forty-nine lakhs eighty eight thousands one hundred fifty eight only) as on 29.10.2024 plus interest and expenses thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: SCHEDULE A PROPERTY : Schedule A of the property: All that piece and parcel of the landed property measuring 02 acres and 04 guntas carved out of residentially converted land bearing Sy No. 83/1 measuring 1 acre 6 guntas and Sy No. 83/2 measuring one acre and 18 guntas , totally measuring 2 acres 04 guntas , (converted vide official memorandum dated 1.10.2010, bearing No. ALN (SB) Sr: 68/2010/11, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner) situated at Arakere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded as; East by: Sy No. 82, West by: Remaining portion of land belonging to Mr. Purushotham Reddy and Tejas and thereafter Sy No. 85; North by: Sy No. 84, South by Road

Schedule B Property (Description of undivided share): 490 square feet of undivided share, right, title and interest/ownership in the Schedule A property

Schedule C Property: Residential unit No. 609, in the sixth floor, measuring 2072 square feet super built up area, having three bedroom, Hall, Kitchen etc., together with one covered Car Parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passage, lobbies, staircase, etc., contained in the multi-storeyed building constructed on the Schedule A property known as **Roshan Platinum Apartment.**

2. Name of the borrower :1) Smt. Usha S & Sri. Raghavendra Ramesh, Door No. 328/1, 14th Cross, 5th Main Road, Sadashivanagar, Near Ganesh Temple, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru – 560080 Also at: **2) Mr. Raghavendra Ramesh & & Smt. Usha S.** No. C 36, 2nd Main Road, 2nd Cross, Balagangadhara Road, Avalahalli, Mysore Road, Bangalore - 560 026, Also at **3) Sri Raghavendra Ramesh** Partner of Dawn & Beach, 840/1, 1st Floor 100 feet Road, Indiranagar 1st Stage, Bangalore - 560 038. and alos at, **4) Sri. Raghavendra Ramesh & Smt. Usha S,** No. 413, 4th Floor " Roshan Platinum Apartment" Sy. No. 83/1, & 83/2, Arakere Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru-560 076.

Demand Notice date:14.08.2024 **A/c. No. HTL/39871029509**

Balance as on that date was :Rs.1,44,28,779.00 (Rupees One crore forty four lakhs twenty eight thousands seven hundred and seventy nine only) as on 13.08.2024 and interest & expenses thereon

Possession Taken date : 11.11.2024

Outstanding Loan amount: Rs.1,47,50,434.00 (Rupees One crore forty seven lakhs fifty thousands four hundred and thirty four only) as on 29.10.2024 plus interest and expenses thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: Schedule A of the property : All that piece and parcel of the landed property measuring 02 acres and 04 guntas carved out of residentially converted land bearing Sy No. 83/1 measuring 1 acre 6 guntas and Sy No. 83/2 measuring one acre and 18 guntas , totally measuring 2 acres 04 guntas , (converted vide official memorandum dated 1.10.2010, bearing No. ALN (SB) Sr: 68/2010/11, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner) situated at Arekere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded as; East by: Sy No. 82,West by: Remaining portion of land belonging to Mr. Purushotham Reddy and Tejas and thereafter Sy No. 85; North by: Sy No. 84, South by Road

Schedule B Property (Description of undivided share):490 square feet of undivided share, right, title and interest/ownership in the Schedule A property

Schedule C Property: Residential unit No. 413, in the fourth floor, measuring 2072 square feet super built up area, having three bedroom, Hall, Kitchen etc., together with one covered Car Parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passage, lobbies, staircase, etc., contained in the multi-storeyed building constructed on the Schedule A property known as **Roshan Platinum Apartment.**

The above mentioned borrowers/guarantors/mortgagors having failed to repay the amount as mentioned in the Demand notices, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/guarantors/Mortgagors and the public in general that the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of State of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, J.C. Road, Bengaluru has taken possession of the properties described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules, 2002 on above mentioned date.

The borrowers/guarantors/mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge **of the State Bank of India,** for amount mentioned against their names with further interest at contractual rate with incidental expenses, cost, charges charges etc., thereon.

The borrowers/guaranotors/mortgagers attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

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State Bank of India,
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'Gukesh is the favourite but World C'ship is a different event'

On current form, **D Gukesh** is the favourite to win the World Chess Championship (November 24-December 15) title against his Chinese opponent, Ding Liren, believes Indian GM R Praggnanandhaa. "Gukesh is definitely the favourite, considering his recent form. But the World Championship is a different tournament altogether."

Rahul, the anomaly of Indian cricket

The 32-year-old has been team management's go-to fix for every temporary issue they have had in recent years

GOMESH S @ Chennai

KL Rahul, the Test cricketer, can be hard to make sense of. As much as it is the same in the other two formats of the game, in Tests, Rahul is an anomaly for Indian cricket.

It is no exaggeration. A Test average of 33.87 after 53 matches, which does rounds on social media every time he fails, is unheard of for an Indian specialist batter. To put it into context, among players with 50 or more Test caps, Ravindra Jadeja has a better average than Rahul (35.16). In fact, apart from Kapil Dev (31.05), Syed Kirmani (27.04) and R Ashwin (25.92) who follow Rahul on the list, every one beneath him have been picked for one specific skillset (bowling). Any other cricketer with such numbers would be nowhere near the national set-up.

Rahul, however, is not any other cricketer. He is special. Right from the time he broke into the Indian team in 2014 and scored a Test hundred in Sydney, it has been the case. Since then, India have had six captains, including Rahul himself, six coaching tenures (five coaches with Ravi Shastri donning the hat twice) and multiple selection committees. Through all this, no matter who's captain or the coach or chief selector, one thing has remained constant — his place in the side, if fit.

So much so that at times it might have left the ones looking on from the outside frustrated, wondering why that is the case. The outsiders may have a point because Rahul's numbers are middling at best.

And yet, Rahul is always around. Sometimes even when he is not in form. He was their fall back when Shubman Gill got injured in England. He was there when India needed a middle-order bat. He was also there when they wanted a keeper in South Africa. He has been India's go-to fix for every temporary issue they have had over the last few years.

Even now, with captain Rohit Sharma likely to miss the first Test of the Border-Gavaskar Trophy in Australia, they have gone back to Rahul as the preferred opener in Perth.

"There are times when you go with the experienced players as well and that is the quality of the man. He (Rahul) can actually bat at the top of the order, he can bat at number 3 and at number 6 as well," explained coach Gautam Gambhir before leaving for Australia. "I feel that if need be, I think he (Rahul) can do the job for us, especially if Rohit is not available for the first Test," he added.

As much as one would be made to believe that no batter has got the backing Rahul has in the last decade or so — and it is true to an extent — things might look different if one were to view it through the 32-year-old's prism. To not be able to seal one spot and become the guy for the team despite playing more than 50 Tests can never be easy. This despite him being the only Indian opener to score Test hundreds in England, Australia and South Africa since the rainbow nation returned to international cricket.

Then there is the rotten luck that has followed him in the worst of times. Take the dismissal in Melbourne during the second unofficial Test between India A and Australia A. It is an indication of a guy who is not just out of form, but also lacks confidence.

However, Rahul is indeed an anomaly. He could come in and put on a match-winning performance as he did during the England tour in 2021. That year was, perhaps, the best Rahul had as an opener — both in England and South Africa. He knew where his off-stump was and left balls outside better than anyone else. Or he could fall flat and warm the bench till India have their next temporary issue for Rahul to come back in. This is not an ideal situation for any one. But Rahul doesn't do easy. He is an anomaly that Indian cricket turns to whenever in need. Come November 22, the world will know which Rahul has turned up for India.

KL Rahul (L), who has struggled to score in recent times, will be in the spotlight during the Australia series | PTI

RAHUL OVERALL TEST RECORD

Mat	Runs	AVG	100s
53	2981	33.87	8

RAHUL RECORD IN EACH POSITION

POS	Mat	Runs	HS	Avg	SR	100s	50s
No 1-2	44	2551	199	34.94	51.33	7	12
No 3	4	88	54	17.60	63.30	0	1
No 4	1	108	86	54.00	63.15	0	1
No 6	6	234	101	29.25	69.23	1	1

Can India bounce back?

After the loss in the second T20I, the Men in Blue will be hoping to come up with a strong response vs South Africa in Centurion on Wednesday. A look...

Eyes on Abhishek

While Sanju Samson has gotten himself going in the first match, his new opening partner Abhishek Sharma is yet to make a mark. The latter, with the series on the line, will be keen to step up.

Rinku to bat up?

As much as it is his role in the team, Rinku Singh has not been utilised with the bat so far unless they need a rescue. Although it is about others not being able to do what he does, the team management should be making the most of Rinku's abilities.

WILL MARKRAM STEP UP?

Even as they came back from behind to level the series in Gqeberha, South Africa will be looking at their skipper Aiden Markram for some inspiration. The top-order batter hasn't been in good form and would want to contribute at some point during the series.

South Africa **vs** India, 3rd T20I, Centurion

Live on Sports18 and JioCinema from 8.30 PM

NOTES FROM DOWN UNDER

Perth pitch to have pace and bounce: Curator

PERTH: India will be accorded a tough welcome to Australia as the Optus Stadium pitch for the opening Test of the Border-Gavaskar Trophy has been prepared to offer 'good bounce and pace' true to the tradition of the fiery tracks in Perth. India will enter the Perth Test, beginning from November 22, without playing any practice match. "This is Australia, this is Perth... I'm setting ourselves up for really good pace, really good bounce and really good carry," Western Australia Cricket head curator Isaac McDonald told *'ESPNcricinfo'*. McDonald said he is looking to leave some grass on the pitch to make it a bit spicier. "It's (10 mm) a good starting point. Ten millimetres was pretty comfortable with the conditions that we had (last year) and that held the conditions together nicely for the first few days...," he added.

I'd be staggered if Jurel doesn't play: Paine

SYDNEY: Impressed by Dhruv Jurel's knocks at bouncy MCG pitch recently, former Australia captain Tim Paine backed the Indian wicketkeeper-batter to shine during the upcoming BGT. Paine, who coached Australia A in the recent series against India A, witnessed Jurel's exploits in the second 'unofficial' Test where the 23-year-old scored an 80 and 68 at Melbourne. "There's a guy who has wicket kept in a few Test matches for India. He averages 63 out of the three Tests he's played, and his name is Dhruv Jurel" Paine said on *'SEN Tassie'*. "I don't know if you saw much of the highlights, but after seeing him bat (against Australia A) — even though he's a wicketkeeper, from what I've seen on this tour and from India's batting in the last couple of months, I'd be staggered if he doesn't play," he added.

PCB seeks BCCI's reasons to refuse Pak tour from ICC

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

DAYS after the Board of Control for Cricket in India decided India would not travel to Pakistan for the 2025 Champions Trophy, Pakistan Cricket Board (PCB) mailed a detailed questionnaire to the International Cricket Council (ICC) seeking reasons behind the BCCI's move. This newspaper reported on Tuesday that PCB was going to send a detailed mail.

As the Indian cricket board communicated its decision to the ICC, the PCB also sought a reply from the world governing body. "The PCB has responded to last week's ICC letter seeking clarifications for the BCCI's decision not to travel to Pakistan for the ICC Champions Trophy 2025," PCB spokesperson Sami-Ul-Hasan told this daily.

The tournament is slated for February next year with the matches scheduled in Lahore, Karachi and Rawalpindi.

While the PCB spokesperson did not go into the details of the e-mail, PCB sources said through the detailed questionnaire the ICC has been asked the reasoning behind India's decision. "As we know, the BCCI in its mail to the ICC said nothing on the tournament, its format and the schedule. So, the PCB needs clarifications from the ICC on the reasons for the BCCI's decision," sources told this daily. There were reports as well that the tournament could either be played on a hybrid model as happened during the 2023 Asia Cup or shifted to alternate venues like Dubai. The sources, however, confirmed that as of now the PCB's stand remains firm on hosting the tournament. "The PCB's stand is very clear and straight — the Champions Trophy will be held in Pakistan as approved and announced by the ICC in 2021."

Speaking on Pakistan's move if the BCCI stays firm on its decision, the sources said, "At the moment, the PCB has only sought clarifications from the ICC on reasons for the BCCI's decision. Talking about the future will be too early as the PCB is awaiting a response from the ICC," said sources.

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Sami-Ul-Hasan, PCB spokesperson

Political tension between the two countries meant the Indian cricket team has not toured Pakistan since 2008. The 26/11 terror attack in Mumbai put a complete stop on India touring the neighbouring country. The Men in Green did travel to India in 2012 for a white-ball series which was coincidentally the last bilateral series between two countries. However, the two teams have played each other in the ICC and Asian Cricket Council events. In fact, Pakistan travelled to India for the 2023 ODI World Cup soon after the Asia Cup and played the hosts in a group encounter in Ahmedabad.

Mumbai women step up to defend T20 title

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

THE day Mumbai, the defending champions of the Senior Women's T20 Trophy, started their campaign to win the title again in Kotambi Stadium, a little outside of Vadodara, they had Jemimah Rodrigues leading the side. Ideally, she would have loved not to be there because the other alternative for her would have been representing India in the semifinal of the Women's T20 World Cup. India's early exit meant that Rodrigues, who led the maiden title run in 2023 from the front, was there to lead the team again before joining the India team for the ODI series against New Zealand.

However, the campaign did not start on the right note for Mumbai against Andhra as Humairaa Kazi's 76 could not stop Andhra from chasing down 136. The very next day, without Rodrigues and Saima Thakor (who made her debut in the format in the series) and Sayali Satghare, Mumbai defended a total of 105 against Gujarat. Then they lost a close encounter against Goa despite Jagravi Pawar taking four wickets. It looked like the mighty Railways would remain the only side to defend their title in the T20 Trophy. There on, Mumbai won every single match they played to lift the title for the second year in a row. They won while chasing all totals or even when defending small scores. The pinnacle of the latter came in the televised quarterfinal against the most dominant side of the competition in Railways where Mumbai's bowlers stood up to defend 109. In the final, despite losing the toss, Mumbai's bowlers, supported by their fielders, showcased excellent temperament and bowled Bengal out for 85. Captain Kaazi and Vrushali Bhagat chased it down inside 13 overs. **Brief scores:** Bengal 85/10 in 20 ovs (Dhara Gujjar 26; Jagravi Pawar 3/13) **lost to** Mumbai 86/0 in 12.3 ovs (Vrushali Bhagat 45 n.o., Humairaa Kazi 41 n.o.).

EXPRESS READ

Nabi to retire after Champions Trophy

SHARJAH: Afghanistan all-rounder Mohammad Nabi has announced that he will retire from ODIs after next year's Champions Trophy in Pakistan. "In my mind, from the last World Cup, I was retired. But then, we qualified for the Champions Trophy, and I felt if I could play that, it would be great," he reportedly said.

High-altitude para sports centre in Leh

LEH: The world's first high-altitude para sports centre will be established in Leh, Ladakh, aiming to advance the skills of athletes ahead of the 2028 Paralympics. A MoU to this effect was signed by the Ladakh Autonomous Hill Development Council (LAHDC), Leh, and the Aditya Mehta Foundation (AMF).

Treesa-Gayatri exit from Kumamoto Masters

KUMAMOTO (JAPAN): Indian pair of Treesa Jolly and Gayatri Gopichand was knocked out in the opening round of Kumamoto Masters Japan with a defeat in straight games to their opponents from Chinese Taipei, here on Tuesday. The world No 20 Indian pair was brushed aside 16-21, 16-21 by Hsu Yin-Hui and Lin Yin-Hui.

ACT: Deepika spot on as India win

AGENCIES @ Rajgir (Bihar)

STRIKER Deepika converted a penalty stroke three minutes from the final hooter to lead India to a tense 3-2 win over South Korea in the women's Asian Champions Trophy, here Tuesday. India raced to a 2-0 lead in the first half through goals from Sangita Kumari (3rd minute) and Deepika (20th, 57th) before Korea mounted a strong comeback in the third quarter and drew parity with goals from Yuri Lee (34th) and skipper Eunbi Cheon (38th).

The match headed for an exciting finish with both teams pushing for that deciding goal and it was Deepika, who scored from the spot to seal India's second consecutive victory in the tournament. The Indians played attacking hockey from the onset. India's dominance can be gauged by the fact that the Koreans didn't have a single shot at the Indian goal in the first two quarters. India, on the other hand, attacked the Korean defence relentlessly and created chances which resulted in two field goals. It didn't take long for the Indians to surge ahead as they opened the scoring in the third minute through Sangita. Neha Goyal initiated the move and passed it on to Navneet Kaur, who found Sangita inside the circle. The striker beautifully received the ball, sidestepped her marker and then found the back of the net with a fine reverse hit.

Indian players celebrate a goal against South Korea on Tuesday | PTI

India kept up the pressure on the Korean defence and their efforts bore fruit in the 20th minute when Deepika slammed one home from close range.

Korea fought back in the second half and scored two quick goals to level the equation. However, India continued to search for the win and were fi rewarded with a penalty stroke in the 57th minute. Deepika converted the same with ease.

RANJI TROPHY

Karnataka eye second win of the season

ENS @ Chennai

IT would not be wrong to say that inclement weather followed Karnataka wherever the team played in the first four rounds of the ongoing Ranji Trophy. Despite rain reducing their matches, Karnataka registered a win over Bihar in Patna in the round three. They are expected to have a full match when they take on hosts Uttar Pradesh in Lucknow. UP have lost their previous tie against Kerala and need to make a quick turnaround if they wish to challenge Karnataka.

Andhra face Hyderabad

HYDERABAD: After three consecutive losses, Andhra managed to draw their previous match against Uttarakhand. The result though did not improve their position as they continue to languish at the bottom in Group B. Their task will be cut out when they play hosts Hyderabad. Hyderabad too need a big win to stay alive in the race for knockouts.

Odisha play Maharashtra

CUTTACK: Winless Odisha will take on Maharashtra in their match. Odisha have lost their last two matches and lying seventh on the points table. Maharashtra though have won one game but they are placed only a spot ahead of their next opponents.

Kerala vs Haryana

ROHTAK: It will be a clash of table toppers in Group C when Kerala face Haryana in Rohtak. Both the teams have won two and drawn two so far but Haryana have secured 19 points with Kerala aggregating 15. Rain pegged Kerala behind as they could earn only two points from their two drawn matches.

Delhi seek turnaround

DELHI: After their nine-wicket loss against Chandigarh in the previous encounter, Delhi will look to get the better of Jharkhand to improve their rankings in the points table. They have blown hot and cold so far but need to be consistent from now onwards to stay in contention for a berth in the knockouts.

SELECT MATCHES:
Group A: In Cuttack: Odisha vs Maharashtra;
Group B: In Dharamsala: Himachal Pradesh vs Puducherry; In Hyderabad: Hyderabad vs Andhra;
Group C: In Lucknow: Uttar Pradesh vs Karnataka; In Rohtak: Haryana vs Kerala;
Group D: In Delhi: Delhi vs Jharkhand; In Ahmedabad: Railways vs Tamil Nadu.

TN take on Railways

AHMEDABAD: Tamil Nadu might be missing some big names but they are still a formidable team. And with the goal of making the knockouts, the team looks determined to return with an outright win when they take on Railways in their match to be held at the Narendra Modi Stadium.

Tamil Nadu drew against Assam in the last outing, while Railways also managed a draw against Chhattisgarh. Railways have 14 points from four games, while Tamil Nadu have 12 points from an equal number of matches so far. Although Railways are two points ahead, TN have the edge as they have strong batting depth.

However, the team will be without the services of Washington Sundar, B Sai Sudharsan and Baba Indrajith. R Sai Kishore's fitness is another concern for the team. He had suffered an injury in the previous outing and he's a doubtful starter. Though he has been trying his best to get back in shape, it remains to be seen if he'll make the playing XI.

Shami to play for Bengal against MP

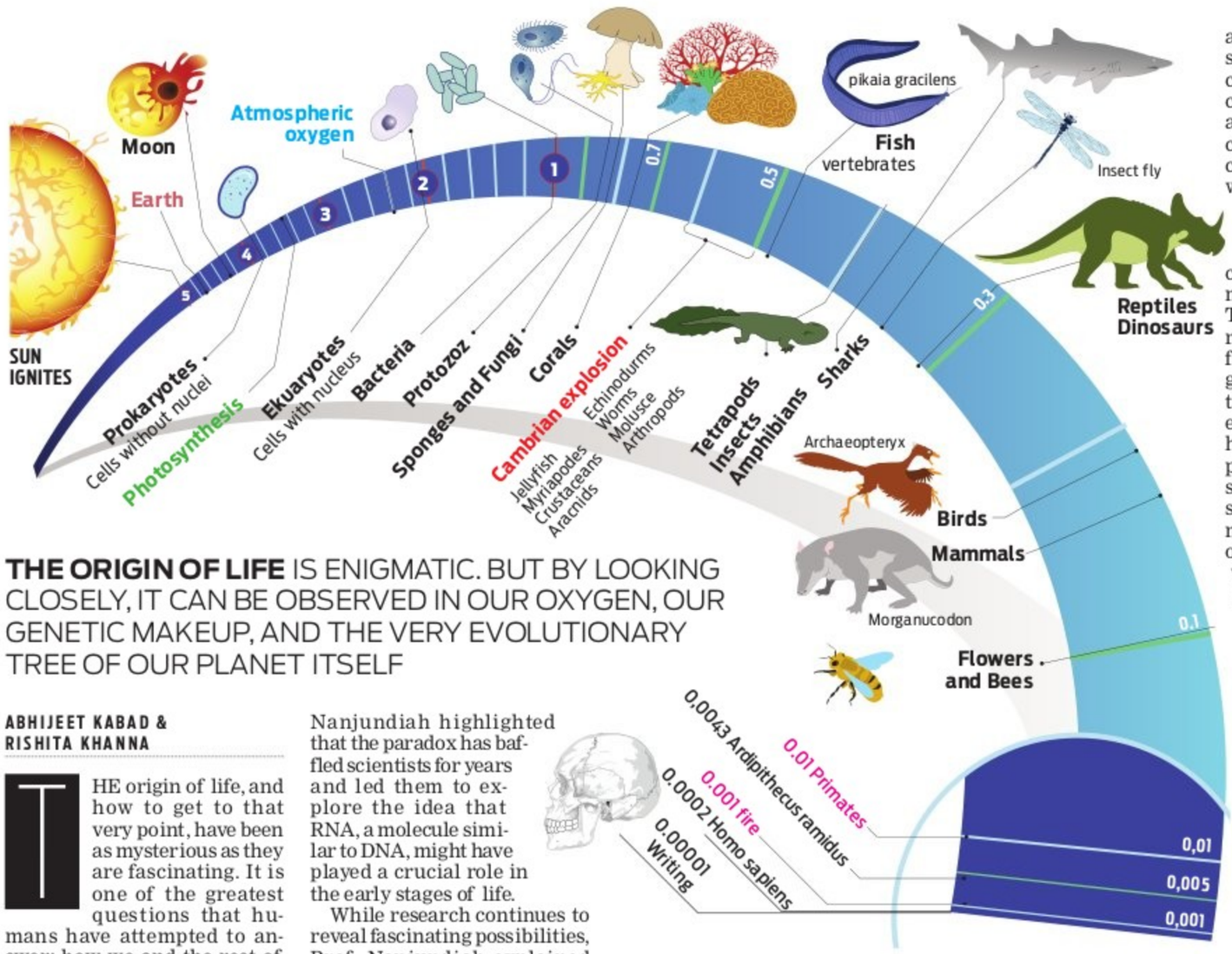
AGENCIES @ Kolkata

PREMIER India pacer Mohammed Shami will make his much-anticipated return to competitive cricket after a hiatus of nearly a year through Bengal's Ranji Trophy match against Madhya Pradesh in Indore from Wednesday, announced Cricket Association of Bengal.

Shami, who has been out of action since the 2023 World Cup final on November 19 due to an ankle injury and the subsequent surgery, will aim to prove his fitness in a real match situation after undergoing intense rehabilitation at the BCCI Centre of Excellence in Bengaluru. CAB secretary Naresh Ojha said that Shami will spearhead the Bengal pace bowling unit and the Indian thinktank in Australia too will closely follow his outing.

In physics, you don't have to go around making trouble for yourself. Nature does it for you.

— Frank Wilczek



THE ORIGIN OF LIFE IS ENIGMATIC. BUT BY LOOKING CLOSELY, IT CAN BE OBSERVED IN OUR OXYGEN, OUR GENETIC MAKEUP, AND THE VERY EVOLUTIONARY TREE OF OUR PLANET ITSELF

NATURAL BEGINNINGS

ABHIJEET KABAD & RISHITA KHANNA

THE origin of life, and how to get to that very point, have been as mysterious as they are fascinating. It is one of the greatest questions that humans have attempted to answer; how we and the rest of the natural world evolved?

One way of looking at it is through the primary necessity of our everyday life on our planet – oxygen. "However, many people believe that when life arose, there was very little oxygen in the atmosphere called reducing atmosphere. Others believe that there was some oxygen back then. However, the oxygen we have now is from living matter itself," said Prof Vidyanand Nanjundiah, Faculty at Centre for Human Genetics at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc), during a lecture at the Jawaharlal Nehru Planetarium in Bengaluru, recently.

Prof Nanjundiah delved into various aspects about the origin of life, and where the keys to evolution can be found. According to him, the Earth's crust plays out the most prominent part in figuring out the origin. The first sign of life was around 4 billion years ago. Interestingly, there are fossils today, called stromatolites – layered structures, with each successive layer being formed by bacteria over time. Whereas the eukaryote fossils (includes plants, animals, fungi, protists, and seaweeds) date back to 1.5- to 2 billion years ago. The single-celled creatures back then, had the same building blocks as modern humans.

Back then, the atmosphere was made up of largely reducing gases, like carbon dioxide, sulphur dioxide, nitrogen and methane, and most of the oxygen came from photosynthesis of blue green algae much later. Also, living matter has the same elements as in the Earth's crust and its oceans, only the proportion varies.

Essential molecule

For a common person, it is what came first, the chicken or the egg? But for scientists, there is a similar puzzle — did RNA or DNA come first? This question holds deep implications for understanding the origins of life on Earth.

If DNA is the blueprint for life and proteins, carry out the tasks that keep cells alive, how did life begin when neither DNA nor proteins existed? Prof Nanjundiah highlighted that the paradox has baffled scientists for years and led them to explore the idea that RNA, a molecule similar to DNA, might have played a crucial role in the early stages of life.

While research continues to reveal fascinating possibilities, Prof. Nanjundiah explained that RNA is a more versatile molecule compared to DNA, as it can both store genetic information and catalyse chemical reactions, unlike DNA, which primarily functions to store information. "This gives RNA a critical edge in the puzzle of life's origins," he pointed out, adding that RNA could have acted as both the genetic material and the catalyst for biochemical reactions in the early stages of life. The 'RNA World Hypothesis' suggests that life may have started with RNA molecules capable of replicating themselves and catalysing the necessary chemical reactions, a process that could have set the foundation for life, he said.

"But how did RNA form in the first place?" asked Prof Nanjundiah, highlighting that it is believed that the right conditions on early Earth, like warm, shallow pools and volcanic vents, might have helped create the building blocks of RNA from simple chemicals.

"Some researchers believe that these conditions, combined with the right amount of energy (from lightning, UV rays, or underwater volcanic activity), could have sparked the creation of the first RNA molecules," he said, adding that these molecules would have been simple at first, but could have grown more complex over time. Additionally, scientists have observed how small RNA molecules can self-assemble under lab conditions, providing hints that life may have started in these simple, prebiotic environments.

Over time, as life evolved, RNA's role was gradually taken over by DNA, which became the primary carrier of genetic information, while proteins became more specialised in carrying out the complex functions needed to support life. This shift allowed life to become more organised and diverse. But what if RNA did not completely disappear? Some scientists believe that remnants of the RNA world are still present in our cells today, such as the ribosomes that make proteins — a crucial link between ancient RNA and the DNA-based life we see now.

The search for answers continues today, as researchers study extreme environments, such as deep-sea hydrothermal vents, where conditions might have been just right for early RNA molecules to form. "By understanding how these early molecules could have come together, we are getting closer to solving one of science's greatest mysteries — how life began," Prof Nanjundiah mentioned.

So, could life have originated by DNA and protein coming together? Unfortunately, not! The reason being both DNA and proteins are sufficiently complicated in themselves. Both DNA and proteins require each other. DNA is used to make protein and protein is used to make DNA. This process is called an 'autocatalytic process'.

Tree of life

People now try to find the origin through evolution. As living creatures give birth to progeny, these are modified over the years. Therefore, we are confident that everything on this planet had ancestors. Working backwards gives rise to the evolutionary tree, which further gives rise to plants, animals and microbes. The tree represents the notion that as we go closer to the roots, most of the creatures today had common ancestors. The hope is that we can go back to one common ancestor of every living being, which is the last universal common ancestor.

Human beings belong to 'Eukaryota', a branch which contains a nucleus and other membrane-bound organelles. The other branches are bacteria and archaea. The tree confirms that we converge at a single root. However, as we study the evolutionary tree, there emerges side branches called horizontal gene transfer. This proves that there might be no single universal ancestor. Possibly, the single origin of life is misplaced. There are a bunch of candidates from the life which we know currently. The other theory is that the world of today came from only RNA and proteins, referred to as the RNA world. There is also the 'panspermia theory', which states that life did not originate on Planet Earth, but came from seeding from outer space, perhaps molecules and complex compounds. These complex compounds are found in meteorites. When meteorites strike the Earth, they are found to contain molecules pointing to the origin of life.

More theories

The other theory is Oparin-Haldane theory. Soviet biochemist Alexander Oparin had an idea that life could have originated in a primitive reducing atmosphere, with a source of energy, by spontaneous formation of coacervate, aggregates of organic molecules. These aggregations could show primitive metabolism, and could assimilate other compounds. Whereas in British geneticist JBS Haldane's theory, water played a primordial role. The energy would be provided by the Sun through ultraviolet radiation. This radiation would be able to build compounds in the oceans, unless the density was high enough. The phrase he used to describe it is "Hot Dilute Soup".

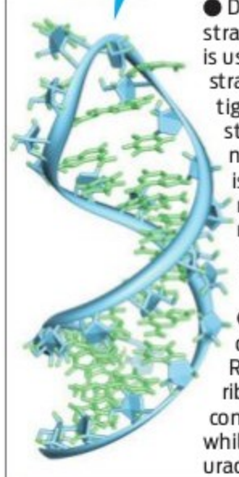
Stanley Miller's 1953 experiment took a reducing atmosphere and passed electric discharges through it. After repeated discharges, there was formation of condensate. Some parts of the condensate consisted of organic molecules like amino acids and glycine. American biochemist Sidney Fox studied what would happen to these amino acids over time. These things could polymerise, giving rise to polymer ides or proteins. These polymer ides could encase in a shell, which he called microsphere.

Krishna Bahadur and Ranganayaki conducted studies on certain cell-like groupings, capable of metabolism and photosynthesis. They christened this, 'Jeewanu'. By putting together a defined combination of elements, like carbon, hydrogen and oxygen, you can get photocells forming and growing.

Among the requirements of life forms, there are some means of utilising energy. One of the ways that anabolism might happen has come up recently. The energy is provided by high-temperature hydrothermal vents in which the temperature of the Earth can heat up water to such an extent that the geometrical configuration can work to ionise water molecules. This is called the Proton Motive Force. Hydrothermal vents are places where people can look for life.

THE RNA-DNA CONUNDRUM

RNA (RIBONUCLEIC ACID) AND DNA (DEOXYRIBONUCLEIC ACID) ARE BOTH NUCLEIC ACIDS THAT STORE AND TRANSMIT GENETIC INFORMATION, BUT THEY HAVE SEVERAL DIFFERENCES IN STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION:



- DNA is double-stranded, while RNA is usually single-stranded. DNA is tightly coiled and stored in the nucleus, while RNA is smaller and moves out of the nucleus to the cell's protein machinery
- DNA contains deoxyribose, while RNA contains ribose. DNA also contains thymine, while RNA contains uracil
- DNA stores genetic information and acts as a blueprint for life. RNA decodes the DNA blueprint to create proteins.
- RNA is mainly found in the cytoplasm, but is synthesised in the nucleus
- There are different types of RNA, including messenger RNA (mRNA), ribosomal RNA (rRNA), and transfer RNA (tRNA)

Many people believe that when life arose, there was very little oxygen in the atmosphere called reducing atmosphere. Others believe that there was some oxygen —Prof Nanjundiah, IISC

PENETRATING SIGHT

ROBOTS WITH SUPERHUMAN VISION ON THE WAY

A RAGING debate on whether artificial intelligence (AI) would eventually overtake human capabilities notwithstanding, a team of researchers has developed a system to provide superhuman vision to robots. The team, from the University of Pennsylvania School of Engineering and Applied Science (Penn Engineering), has developed 'PanoRadar', a new tool that transforms simple radio waves into detailed, 3D views of the environment. Providing better vision to robots has always been a big challenge for them to operate in poor weather conditions. Traditional, light-based vision sensors like cameras or Light Detection And Ranging (LiDAR) have been found to fail in foggy conditions or heavy smoke. But radio waves, whose wavelengths are orders of magnitude longer than light waves, are found to penetrate smoke and fog to see through certain materials — something human beings cannot. PanoRadar, a sensor that operates like a lighthouse, sweeps its beam in a circle to scan the surroundings, using a system with a rotating vertical array of antennas. As they rotate, the antennas send out radio waves and listen for their reflections from the environment, much like how a lighthouse's beam reveals the presence of ships and coastal features. The researchers presented their work at the 2024 International Conference on Mobile Computing and Networking (MobiCom), where they described how PanoRadar leverages radio waves and AI to let robots navigate even the most challenging environments, like smoke-filled buildings or foggy roads. AI helps PanoRadar go beyond the simple scanning strategy. It combines measurements from all rotation angles to enhance its imaging resolution. The rotation creates a dense array of virtual measurement points. This allows PanoRadar to achieve imaging resolution comparable to LiDAR. Signal processing and machine learning algorithms extract rich 3D information from the environment. It is set to make robots highly effective in service.

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An island's prehistory

ABHIJEET KABAD

PAULUS Edward Pieris Deraniyagala was a Sri Lankan paleontologist, zoologist and archaeologist. He made several contributions in Sri Lankan archaeology, studying the country's history, culture and prehistory. His work went on to reshape our understanding of Sri Lanka's past and made him one of the prominent figures in the development of archaeological scholarship in South Asia. Deraniyagala was born in Colombo on May 8, 1900, to a family that valued education. After his schooling, he completed his degree in history at the University of Ceylon. His interest in archaeology was built from a young age, guided by the cultural richness of Sri Lanka, a history which included Buddhist kings to British colonialism. After his undergraduate degree, Deraniyagala shifted to England, where he pursued a diploma in archaeology from the University of Cambridge. With a passion for Sri Lankan history and exposure to the Western archaeological methods, he initiated his career in the field.

In the 1930s, Deraniyagala focused on excavations and research in Sri Lanka, after joining the Ceylon Department of Archaeology. This was a major turning point in his life. His work primarily focused on prehistoric and protohistoric periods or Sri Lankan history, which was ignored by earlier scholars. One of his most notable achievements was research of prehistoric human remains at the Fa Hien Cave, located in Western Sri Lanka. In 1938, Deraniyagala went on to find evidence of ancient human presence dating back to around 30,000 years ago. This challenged the existing notions of the island's history. The excavations conducted brought out skeletal remains and artifacts, providing information on lifestyle and cultural practices of the island nation. Deraniyagala also made significant contributions to the study of ancient settlements and megalithic monuments of Sri Lanka. The excavation of various sites, which included burial urns and stone circles, gave out proof of complex societies that existed decades before the start of the island's historical kings. To his credit, he found the prehistoric sites of Balangoda and Aligala.

Both have been extremely important in interpreting the evolution of human societies in South Asia. He also played a role in institutionalizing the study of Sri Lankan prehistory, as he advocated for a dedicated archaeological museum and research centre. Deraniyagala is commemorated in the scientific names of three species of Sri Lankan reptiles: Aspidura deraniyagalae (Sri Lanka rough-sided snake), Lankascincus deraniyagalae (catenated lankaskink), and Nessia deraniyagalai (Deraniyagala's snake skink). He was also a prolific writer and scholar, whose well-known publications include 'Prehistoric Sri Lanka' and 'The Stone Age of Sri Lanka'. He also won the title of Honorary Fellow of the British Academy. Even after his death in 1976, his works continue to inspire archaeologists around the world.

HOW IT WORKS

FOSSILISATION: A FREEZE OF GEOLOGICAL TIME

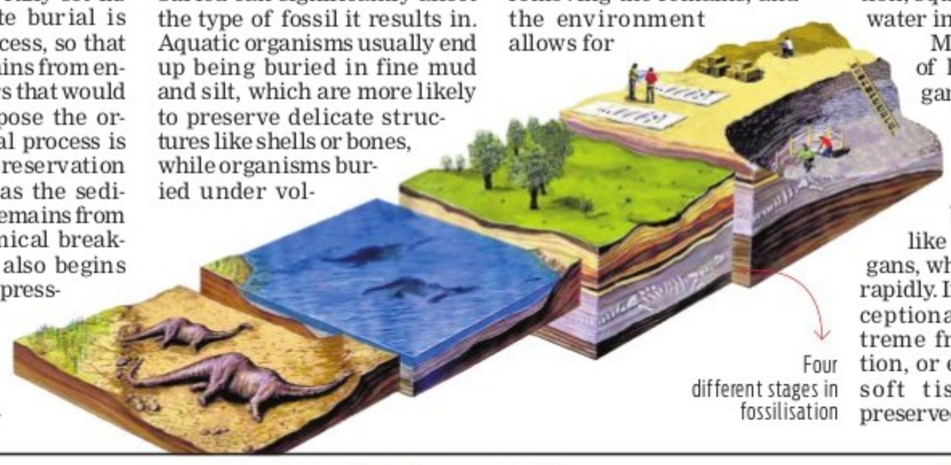
GARGI DESHPANDE

FOSSILISATION is the process by which organic materials like plants, animals, and other life forms, are preserved in the Earth's crust over geological time. Fossils provide snapshots of ancient life and environment when they existed in living form, offering invaluable insights into the history and evolution of nature. However, fossilisation in its natural form, is a rare occurrence. Most organisms decay before they can become fossilised, and of those that do get naturally fossilised, only a small proportion are preserved in a way that allows scientists to study them even after millions of years. The fossilisation process involves several stages, which begins from the death of an organism to the eventual discovery of the fossil by paleontologists.

The process of any organism becoming a fossil begins the moment it dies. Whether an animal, plant, or microorganism, the initial stage is the same for all. However, for fossilisation to set in, the organism must be buried quickly after death. If it is left exposed on the surface, scavengers, bacteria, and environmental factors like weathering and decay, will break it down, making fossilisation unlikely.

The ideal conditions to preserve the body is any place with deep water, tar pits, or areas with rapid sediment deposition, where the remains may be preserved before the decomposition process can fully set in. Almost immediate burial is crucial for the process, so that it isolates the remains from environmental factors that would otherwise decompose the organism. This burial process is essential for the preservation of the organism, as the sediments protect the remains from physical and chemical breakdown. The burial also begins the process of compressing the remains, which will eventually aid in fossilisation.

Once an organism dies, it often ends up in a place where it is covered in sediments such as sand, mud, or volcanic ash. The type of sediment in which an organism is buried can significantly affect the type of fossil it results in. Aquatic organisms usually end up being buried in fine mud and silt, which are more likely to preserve delicate structures like shells or bones, while organisms buried under volcanic ash, can result in very detailed fossils. However, tar, or asphalt, can trap and preserve organisms. The sticky nature of tar prevents scavengers from removing the remains, and the environment allows for exceptional preservation. Over time, layers of sediment accumulate over the buried remains, increasing pressure on them, which causes compaction, squeezing out remaining water in the tissues.



Four different stages in fossilisation

Most commonly, fossils of harder parts of an organism, like bones, teeth, shells, and wood end up getting preserved, because these materials are more durable than soft tissues, like muscles, skin, and organs, which decay much more rapidly. In rare cases, under exceptional conditions like extreme freezing, mummification, or entrapment in amber, soft tissues can also be preserved.

During burial, the minerals in the surrounding sediment begin to replace the organic materials in the hard parts of the organism. This process, known as permineralisation, occurs when mineral-rich water seeps into the pores and cavities of the bones, teeth, or shells. Over time, the minerals crystallise within these spaces, preserving the original structure.

This gradual, mineralisation converts the remains into a rock-like substance, like calcium carbonate or silica can replace the original material, turning the bones or shells into fossilised forms. Fossils may remain buried for millions of years, slowly becoming part of the geological record.

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DAY'S DIARY

'Fantasia' released

Walt Disney's animated musical film *Fantasia* is first released at New York's Broadway Theatre, on this day in 1940

A GREAT START

By the time *Fantasia* premiered, what had started out as an animated short to revive Mickey Mouse's flagging career had become a feature-length extravaganza

ABOUT THE MUSICAL

With story direction by Joe Grant and Dick Huemer and production supervision by Ben Sharpsteen, it is the third feature in the Disney Animated Canon

THE FEATURES

Different segments of the film include *Ave Maria, The Nutcracker Suite, Rite of Spring* and *The Sorcerer's Apprentice and so on*

Brigade Gateway

This month, explore some of the iconic architecture of Bengaluru, through insightful curated walks

BLUEPRINTS OF B'LURU

POOJA DAS

THE city you call home holds countless stories within it. In every nook, every crack, in the rustling leaves, and in the architecture we pass by each day. These are the details we grow accustomed to, yet whose absence could make us feel homesick. Together, they create the history and memory of a people. Bringing some of these stories to light are Venkataramanan Associates (VA), a leading architecture firm, who are organising walks this month, inviting the public to explore some of Bengaluru's most iconic structures, as part of their 55-year anniversary celebrations. "One cannot get the tangible experience that architecture has to offer in books. Architecture forms a very important cultural artefact in cities. They shape cities through space, history and memory and our engagement with Bengaluru has been so long and so vast that it seemed like the best way to revisit our work was to share it with the people of the city," shares Naresh V Narasimhan, architect and second-generation managing director of the firm, originally founded in 1969.

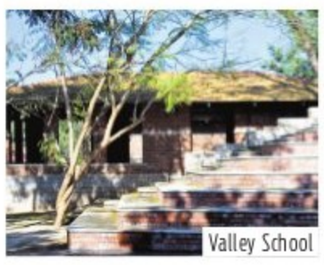
Through a series of curated walks, VA is offering participants an oppurtunity to engage with the design stories behind significant city landmarks, including the Raman Research Institute Library, The Valley School, and the National Gallery of Modern Art (NGMA). Some of the public walks to be organised in the next two weekends will involve exploring Vista Earth Centre, WIPRO Kodathi, K100 Citizens Waterway and multiple projects on Church Street. "Each project selected represents an important milestone in our practice, whether it be the institutional buildings or even the commercial projects we have done. The Raman Research Institute library was the first exposed concrete building done in Bengaluru by my father at a time when building materials and technology were very scarce," says Narasimhan.

Beyond showcasing iconic buildings, these public walks aim to foster a deeper connection between citizens and their city's architectural heritage. "We wanted to engage the public who might use the buildings we have designed but don't know the stories behind them," Narasimhan explains. VA's emphasis on inclusivity is further highlighted in their approach to public spaces and urban infrastructure, such as the K100 Citizens Waterway. Reflecting on the broader context of urban growth, Narasimhan acknowledges the challenges that rapid development poses, particularly for city governance and infrastructure. "With the accelerated growth, the structure of bureaucracy and governance have had little chance to adapt to new ideas and responsibilities. With so many players involved in developing the city, we need more transparent governance and regulations which involve all stakeholders," he adds.

A guide walk underway

Wipro Kodathi

Vista Centre



Valley School

Narasimhan recounts how VA's design philosophy has continuously evolved over the decades, reflecting the changing dynamics of Bengaluru and India at large. "When my father started his practice, India in general was dealing with economic and technological scarcities, hence his architecture was incredibly detail driven. By the time I joined the practice, the economy was opening up and so were people's aspirations, and our projects also began reflecting these needs," he says, adding, "Our core philosophy is rooted firmly in the belief that design is implicitly about human experience across all scales."

The firm's ongoing initiatives extend to the recently inaugurated BLR Design Center on Church Street, where VA aims to engage citizens in dialogues on design, culture, and urbanism. "With these walks, we hope that people take away a sense of ownership of their city. The conversations around architecture and urban design need to be more inclusive and people need to be engaged from the bottom up," adds Narasimhan.

(To register for the upcoming walks this month, visit linktr.ee/modfoundation.blr)

CITY READ

Women's consortium releases brochure

UBUNTU Consortium of Women Entrepreneurs Associations, a platform for building and strengthening connections between women entrepreneurs, released brochures for International Women's Entrepreneurship Day which is celebrated on November 19. K Ratna Prabha, founder of the organisation and former chief secretary for the government of Karnataka was present at the occasion along with R Rajyalakshmi, vice president, and Jyothi Balakrishna, secretary.

CHAOS & CLARITY

Actor-comedian Sumukhi Suresh returns to Bengaluru with a raw, humorous, yet relatable exploration of relationships, body image, and self-discovery with her stand-up show *Hoemonal*

DESE GOWDA

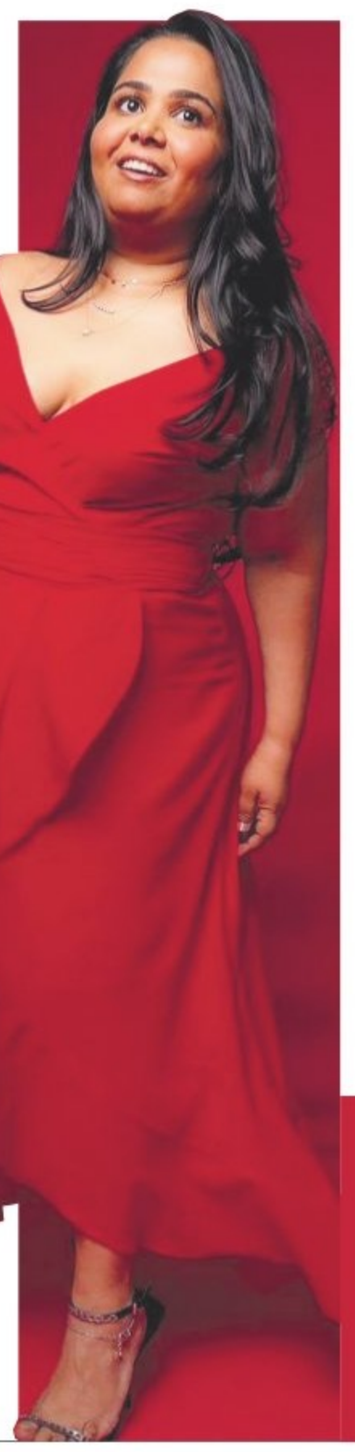
NAGPUR-born and now based in Mumbai, **Sumukhi Suresh** has always held Bengaluru close to her heart. It's what she calls her 'creative home,' the city where her comedy career took root and where she'll return later this month with a fresh take on her hit stand-up show, *Hoemonal*. "Bengaluru always gets my newest material – my first 20 minutes here are almost always brand new. This is where I put out my most unfiltered show," she says.

"It feels almost poetic. My first-ever 1,000-seater show was here, and now my first 2,000-seater show. It feels like a good omen like everything's come full circle." She adds, "My show *Pushpavalli* is also set here. Bengaluru has been a recurring theme in my career and I think it always will be."

Hoemonal is a deeply personal exploration of her experiences as a 30-something navigating relationships, body image, female independence and more. "I started writing and performing it during the pandemic," she shares. "I had just ended a long-term relationship and suddenly found myself free to figure out who I was and what I wanted. But I felt incredibly guilty about it. I often joke that I'm not good at this; I was raised conservatively, and navigating my 30s with all the hormonal shifts has been wonderfully chaotic."

The show also delves into Suresh's experience with PCOS (Polycystic Ovary Syndrome) and the ups and downs of managing hormonal health. "I tackle body image, physical pain, and the emotional toll of health struggles," she says. "The joke is never on the audience – it's always on me, which has always been my style."

While *Hoemonal* has reached international audiences, including recently at the Edinburgh Fringe, Suresh says Bengaluru remains her most comfortable stage. "Bengaluru audiences are amazing; they're disciplined and open-minded. If you don't do well in Bengaluru, it's not the city's fault; it's yours," she laughs. "They're genuinely receptive to all kinds of comedy, and they're happy you've come to their city to perform. There's almost a hospitality to the way Bengalureans receive comedy."



Meanwhile, Suresh says there are fresh additions to the show that Bengaluru audiences can look forward. "A comic will open with an *SNL*–style monologue for my 7pm show, as Tanmay Bhat did at my Mumbai show," she reveals. "My show has this high-energy vibe; it's like a celebration. It's funny, exciting, and even though it ends on a more reflective note, you walk out with that high energy."

Arguably one of the country's most successful comics, Suresh has diversified her pursuits into multiple areas, from writing to acting, and more recently, entrepreneurship. "I've always said it takes multiple things to make one an artiste. For me, if you made me focus on just one thing, I don't think I'd be a very good artiste. I need to do multiple things to feel like one complete artiste. Writing, whether for films or dialogues, really makes me happy and keeps me motivated. It even makes me better on stage – my work writing for films and shows has definitely made me a better stand-up comedian," she explains. "As for acting, I genuinely enjoy it, whether it's a comedic role or a drama. Using that part of my craft is fulfilling, and it absolutely helps on stage. Then there's entrepreneurship, which for me is a way to ensure some longevity in this field; it's about building something lasting – a legacy."

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> Sumukhi Suresh, comedian

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'** Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE*

1 History books on the city often mention the name 'Closepet,' a name that has now faded into obscurity. This thriving township, located south of Bengaluru on the banks of the Arkavati River, was named after Sir Barry Close, a British resident at the court of Mysore. Known for its sericulture, the town was once called Silk-town and was referred to as Shamserabad during Tipu Sultan's reign. The town also features one of the well-known fortified hills, Ramgiri Hills or Ramadevara Betta, where the Bollywood film *Sholay* was shot in the 1970s. What is the township known as today?

2 Dobbspet, popularly known as Dobbaspete, is a village located about 50 km to the west of Bengaluru. The village is named after the British army officer Major General Richard Stewart Dobbs, who served as the first collector of Tumkur District. A notable fortified hill near Dobbaspete is home to the Gavi Gangadhareshwara temple, expanded by the 12th-century Hoysala King Vishnuvardhana. The hill was fortified by Shivappa Nayaka and later strengthened by Kempegowda in the 16th century. Which hill is referred to here: Skandagiri or Shivagange?

3 A fortified hill located about 60 km north of Bengaluru played a prominent strategic role during the Anglo-Mysore wars. The hill was stormed and captured from Tipu Sultan by the British, led by Lord Cornwallis in 1791. The Bhoganandishwara temple, a 9th-century structure at the foot of the hill, is one of Karnataka's oldest temples and has given its name to the hills. Name the hills.

XPRESS FOCUS

S.E.A CET and Shinawatra University Forge New Partnerships at ICIRD-2024

The S.E.A College of Engineering and Technology (S.E.A CET), Bengaluru, organised the prestigious International Conference on Innovative Research and Development (ICIRD-2024) in collaboration with Shinawatra University (SIU), Bangkok, Thailand, held from November 8th to 11th. As part of this significant event, S.E.A CET signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with SIU to foster student exchange programs and faculty collaboration, marking a new era in cross-institutional partnerships.

The conference commenced with a warm welcome from Dr. Sujin Butdisuwan, Dean of the School of Liberal Arts at SIU. Key figures, including Dr. Sarana Photchanachan, Dean of the School of Management at SIU, and Vinisha S. Yadav, Vice President of the S.E.A Group of Institutions, addressed the gathering, highlighting the impact and vision of ICIRD-2024.

The event saw the release of ISBN-numbered conference proceedings, a significant academic milestone, led by Prof. Fei Zhou, President of SIU, alongside editors from S.E.A CET.

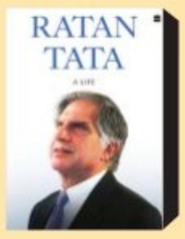
Eminent academicians presented insightful keynote sessions, enriching the conference's academic value.

A dynamic panel discussion followed, featuring experts from industry, media, and business management who shared practical insights on current trends and challenges.

ICIRD-2024 hosted 20 session tracks, encompassing a wide range of disciplines such as science, engineering, management, humanities, education, law, and nursing, with 250 research papers presented.

The conference concluded with a valedictory ceremony, where Dr. Usha Desai, Dean of R&D at S.E.A CET and conference convener, awarded honours for the best paper and best presenter, celebrating academic excellence and innovation. The event also recognised 10 renowned researchers from universities in Thailand and India with Academic Excellence Awards.

BOOK NOOK



Ratan Tata A Life
By Thomas Mathew

This biography offers a detailed look into Ratan Tata's remarkable journey: from his lonely childhood to his rise as Tata Sons chairman and head of India's largest philanthropic entity, Tata Trusts.

The Memory Dress
By Jade Beer

A work of historical fiction where a missing husband and a dress once owned by Princess Diana, set two women on a journey of self-discovery, forging ties across generations.

A Rescue in Vienna: The Story of an Unlikely Saviour
By Vinay Gupta

When the author finds out about his grandfather's daring exploits, he is set to find the truth that takes him to the tale of Kundanlal, a Ludhiana-based businessman who risked everything to save Jewish families during WWII.

You Can't Hurt Me
By Emma Cook

This psychological thriller follows a journalist Anna Tate who is assigned as a ghost-writer to a neuroscientist. She investigates the dark past of a woman who felt no physical pain, only to uncover a shocking discovery.

GRACEFUL MOVEMENTS

Dancers perform at Onake Obavva Jayanti organised by the Department of Kannada and Culture at Nayana Rangamandira, JC Road | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

QUICKFIX

POTATO CHEESE OMELETTE

INGREDIENTS

- **Potato:** 1
- **Eggs:** 2-3
- **Onion (finely chopped):** 1
- **Capsicum (finely chopped):** 1/2
- **Pepper:** 1 tsp
- **Salt:** 1 tsp
- **Cheese (slice):** 1 slice
- **Coriander leaves:** for garnish

METHOD

- Grate the potato. In a pan, add oil, onions, capsicum and the grated potato.
- Mix it and then flatten the potato mixture.
- In a bowl, crack the eggs and then whisk it with salt and pepper.
- After the potato is flattened and cooked, pour the egg batter on it.
- Cook both the sides and add cheese.
- Once the cheese melts, garnish it with coriander and serve hot. Enjoy!

Contributed by **Alice Preethika**, Hyderabad

Mili Boby

The expert is a crochet enthusiast and co-founder of Ethereal, a bridal boutique

How to begin crocheting?

Crocheting is a relaxing and rewarding hobby, perfect for making unique handmade pieces.

Gather basic supplies: Begin with the essentials — a colourful yarn (try 4-ply baby-soft cotton), a 2.5 - 3 mm hook, tapestry needles, stitch markers, and stuffing for the Amigurumi (type of crochet).

Master basic stitches: Start with foundational stitches like slip knot, magic ring, single crochet, half double crochet, and double crochet. Mastering these basics builds confidence and prepares you for more complex patterns.

ASK AN XPERT

Practise with patience: Go slowly and work on maintaining consistent tension and neat stitches. Crocheting requires patience, so take time to get comfortable with your stitches before moving to more advanced projects.

Start simple: Begin with easy patterns like granny squares or Amigurumi balls. YouTube has many beginner-friendly tutorials; explore different techniques, then try more complex patterns from platforms like Etsy as you gain confidence.

Take breaks: Crocheting is repetitive, so take regular breaks to avoid hand strain.

FITBIT

UPAVISTHA VIRABHADRASANA II WHEEL (SEATED WARRIOR POSE II WHEEL)

This is a modified, and challenging variation of Warrior Pose II, practiced with the support of a wheel. The asana fundamentally requires the right method of placing the sit bones on the yoga wheel and moving into the hip opening that stretches the hamstrings, groins, inner thighs, calves, tissues at the ankle joints and opens the pelvic and hip muscles. In addition, included in core strengthening and sculpting the body, it may be of interest to young women and teens, especially for those who are dancers or into sports.

STEPS

- Sit on the yoga wheel like in Upavistha Tadasana Wheel. Ground your feet, extend spine, and place your hands on the knees for about 4-6 breaths.
- Exhale, place your hands on the yoga wheel, holding it from the sides, just below your hips.
- Inhale, release the right hand, turn to your right and take the right leg all the way behind the wheel.
- While turning, ground the left foot at 90 degrees, which will help not to move the wheel, the left sit bone on the yoga wheel, and the left foot at 45 degrees.
- Inhale, bring your arms parallel to the floor with the palms facing down, aligning the shoulders with the hips. Adjust the right foot to go deeper in the hip opening.
- Stay here for about 3-4 breaths. Then, slowly come out of the pose.
- Repeat it on the left side.
- Finally, release and relax in Upavistha Tadasana Wheel.

BENEFITS

- Strengthens the legs, ankles, joints bones and knees.
- Stretches the hamstrings and pelvic muscles.
- Brings flexibility to the body.
- Activates pelvic muscles
- Removes excess fat, tones the legs, upper abdomen and sides of the hips.
- Warm-up for advanced poses.
- Keeps the chest and torso in a stable position.
- Improves the lung capacity.
- Cultivates a strong muscular-skeletal system and body structure.
- Tones the legs and enhances the flexibility of the inner thighs and groins.
- This is a energising and power building pose.
- Enhances physical strength and mental confidence.
- Cultivates a fighting spirit with a positive attitude.
- Boosts concentration, balance and stamina, making it more graceful.
- Enhances blood circulation and improves the muscular system.
- Helps athletes, marathon runners or anyone in any kind of sport.
- Good practise for gymnasts, ice skaters, long jumpers and dancers too.
- Using the wheel prepares the student for deeper versions of poses.

LIMITATIONS

- Students with ankle, knee or hip injuries, or have undergone recent knee, ankle or hip surgery, or with weak muscular frames and body strength, or suffer from issues such as vertigo, migraine or BP, pregnant or postnatal women and seniors, should avoid this.

By N Elumalai, PhD Scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

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WHATWHENWHYWHERE

Forging Connections

A social mixer designed for meaningful in-person connections. Engage in fun ice-breakers and speed-dating games to foster genuine conversations and lasting connections.

WHEN: Nov 13, 8pm
WHERE: Church Street Social, Ashok Nagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Brewing Laughs

Experience an evening of laughter and freshly brewed beer with live stand-up comedy. Enjoy midweek fun in a vibrant setting perfect for unwinding.

WHEN: Nov 13, 8pm
WHERE: Byg Brewski Brewing Company, Hennur Bagalur Main Road
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Music and Lyrics

Step up to the mic at Karaoke Nights with KJ Naveen, where music lovers can enjoy a lively atmosphere and supportive crowd. Embrace an evening of singing and camaraderie.

WHEN: Nov 13, 8.30pm
WHERE: Hard Rock Cafe, Ashok Nagar
CALL: 80412 42222

Cloud-Kissed Adventure

Explore the Bandaje Falls and Ballalarayana Durga Fort on this trek through lush forests and rugged trails, ending with breathtaking views of the Western Ghats.

WHEN: Nov 13, 11pm
WHERE: Pick-up: Karachi Bakery, Indiranagar; New Shanti Sagar Hotel, Domlur; Konkan Express Hotel, Yeshwanthpur; People Tree Hospital, Goraguntepalya
DETAILS: nammatrip.in

Wax Wonders

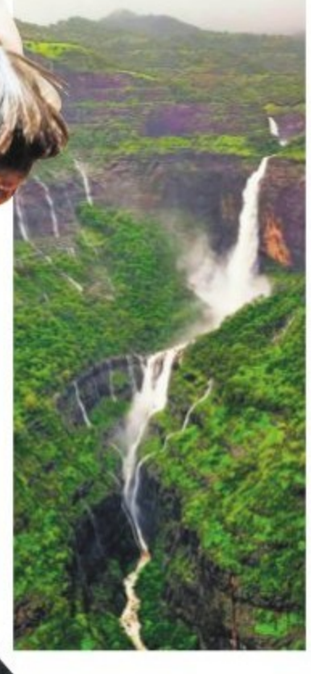
Join a candle-making workshop to learn about wax types, wicks, and scents. Create three personalized candles under expert guidance in a beginner-friendly environment, with all materials provided.

WHEN: Nov 13, 12pm
WHERE: StoryZone, HSR Layout
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Theatre Time

Celebrate the 110-year anniversary of Welsh writer Dylan Thomas with an evocative recital by Swansea actors Gareth Armstrong and John Griffiths. This one-hour performance explores Thomas' poetic brilliance, reflections on Welsh life, and traditional songs.

WHEN: Nov 13, 8pm
WHERE: Ranga Shankara, JP Nagar
DETAILS: rangashankara.org



Serene Power

Experience a blend of movement and mindfulness with Yoga Flow classes, combining hatha, ashtanga, and vinyasa elements. Suitable for all levels, these sessions enhance strength, flexibility, and mental clarity.

WHEN: Nov 13, 6pm
WHERE: HeyBrewty Wellness Studio, Craig Park Layout
DETAILS: allevents.in

ARTCORNER

FACES OF FOLKLORE

In this piece, artist Jithu Kamalam depicts the folk performing art, Poothan and Thira, performed by tribes of the Valluvanad region in today's Kerala

THREADS OF CHANGE

Popular Kannada author, Vasudhendra's new novel takes readers on a journey along the ancient silk routes of central Asia, exploring its impact on ordinary people

PIC: RAMAKRISHNA

MAHIMA NAGARAJU AND SUMAYYA PARVEEN

MOST people see globalisation as a modern phenomenon – a process that opened borders between distant countries, enabling the free exchange of ideas, goods, and culture. Yet, similar exchanges have flourished throughout human history in various forms, with some of the earliest being the complex, evolving networks of the silk routes at the dawn of the first millennium. Originating in China, these routes crossed scorching deserts, rugged mountains, and perilous seas, evoking images of wealthy merchants, warriors, and royalty draped in silk and scented with spices. But what about the ordinary people whose lives were transformed by these routes? Kannada writer **Vasudhendra**'s new historical novel, *Reshme Batte: Onapu Batte, Oratu Daari* (Chanda Pustaka; ₹450), transports readers to this mediaeval world, focusing instead on the lives of everyday people shaped by these silk routes.

"At its core, *Reshme Batte* isn't about kings or politics. It's about the impact of these vast changes on everyday people and how globalisation, trade, and religious exchange disrupted their lives and traditions. My focus is on their resilience and the ways they adapted to a changing world," says Vasudhendra.

The author explains that the silk routes, along with the change they brought, mirrors contemporary dilemmas, making the book relevant to readers today. "The book also captures the tension between traditional and evolving ways of life. Tribal communities who once lived as nomads now faced choices – remain in the forests or adapt to urban, agricultural lifestyles. This dilemma reflects the kind of choices we face today about whether to stay rooted or pursue new horizons," he says.

The title *Reshme Batte: Onapu Batte, Oratu Daari* reflects the contrast between the precious commodities transported along the silk routes and the difficult lives of those carrying them. "In Kannada, batte means 'cloth'. Oratu daari implies a rough path, while onapu batte refers to a soft, fine cloth. The silk routes were a perilous journey – through the Taklamakan Desert, the Hindu Kush mountains, and along the Sindhu river, reaching as far as Ladakh and Afghanistan. Many people lost their lives, families were separated, and women faced hardships, even slavery. Yet the cloth they transported was incredibly soft and beautiful. This contrast – between the smoothness of the silk and the roughness of the path – symbolises the novel's themes," he explains.

Working on the novel over four years, Vasudhendra immersed himself in a variety of books to absorb the stories and atmosphere of the silk routes, without becoming overly focused on detail. "I immersed myself in research for four years, reading the material multiple times to internalise the era. I don't take notes because I don't want to write with a historian's exactitude; I'm a novelist, so I let the details shape an imaginative framework in my mind," he says.

Known for his previous works, such as *Mohanaswamy*, a collection of short stories exploring the lives of queer men, and *Tejo Tungabhadra*, chronicling the history of the Vijayanagara Empire, this novel is not Vasudhendra's first foray into historical fiction. "I think people are drawn to history because they see themselves in it," he says. "I was surprised by how much people love history. They find it fascinating, especially when it's presented as a story. History itself is full of captivating narratives, and when told engagingly, people embrace it. It struck me that perhaps our interest in history comes from a sense of connection to our forefathers. Everyone likely has an ancestor somewhere in history, and that resonates," he explains.

NUGGETS

Book discussion on science fiction novel to be held

A book discussion of author Lavanya Lakshminarayan's latest science-fiction novel *Interstellar Megachef* will be held on November 23, 5pm at Champaca Bookstore, Queens Road. The event will feature a discussion between the author and journalist Shrabonti Bagchi. Set in a fantasy planet, the novel revolves around the future of food technologies for a galaxy-wide cooking show called *Interstellar Megachef*.

THE RETURN OF *SHAKTIMAAN*

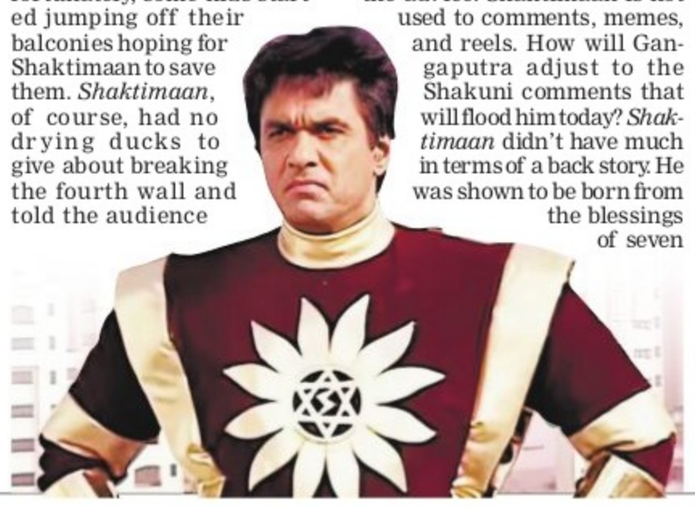
HRIDAY RANJAN
Urban Bourbon

(Writer, comedian)

THIS week brought us news of the return of *Shaktimaan* – India's original superhero. There have been attempts to revive the supreme yogic hero, but what shocked me was that the original actor, Mukesh Khanna, will play him. Currently, the same age as Prince Charles, pictures of the character triggered memories that had remained locked deep inside me. Who are these people asking for a *Shaktimaan* reboot? What are their demands? I request the Central Government to meet them and agree to their needs immediately. Fans of the superhero are now in their 30s, fighting off real-life villains like Chinese lenders and impromptu hair loss.

If you're a Gen Z person somehow miraculously reading this column, here is some context: Every generation has a dark secret buried deep within themselves. My generation's dark secret is that we were fans of *Shaktimaan*. Spider-Man and Iron Man were still a few decades away from the Indian subcontinent. *Shaktimaan* played on Doordarshan, at the hallowed Sunday 12pm slot – usually reserved for mythological shows like *Ramayana* and *Mahabharata*. *Shaktimaan* seemed like a relatable superhero. He had a paunch and the vibe of a preachy middle-aged uncle, asking kids to switch off lights and fans before leaving the room. Indian kids went nuts.

The costume was popular too. In every school, you could find little Shaktimaans walking around after assembly. Unfortunately, some kids started jumping off their balconies hoping for Shaktimaan to save them. *Shaktimaan*, of course, had no drying ducks to give about breaking the fourth wall and told the audience that it was all graphics.



But will *Shaktimaan* adapt to today's times? Originally, the communication was one way-with *Shaktimaan* doling out the advice. Shaktimaan is not used to comments, memes, and reels. How will Gangaputra adjust to the Shakuni comments that will flood him today? *Shaktimaan* didn't have much in terms of a back story. He was shown to be born from the blessings of seven rishis.But today, Shaktimaan will need a new alibi. Gangadhar was a reporter, but the profession has been besmirched. If Shaktimaan steps out as Gangadhar, crowds will probably hound him with slogans of 'Go back, Presstitute!'

Along with a new alibi, Shaktimaan will also need a new supervillain. When Tamraj Kilvish said 'Andhera kayam rahe' (May darkness prevail) – it was scary because we assumed he meant an extended powercut. But today's villains deal with intergalactic issues and inter-terrestrial conflicts. *Shaktimaan* often dealt with comparatively cute villains like Kekda Man and Machhar Man. If he is arriving on OTT platforms, *Shaktimaan*'s real villains will be social media, dwindling attention spans, and our friends in the mature content industry. Then there's the tricky issue of the love interest. The earlier version of *Shaktimaan* had Geeta – who looked like a kind English teacher. But for an actor who is as old as Nitin Gadkari, finding a love interest will be a challenge. Of course, it is not in my place to give suggestions to the 'Uttam Yogi'. But if I may offer a solution from my couch of arrows, here's a show I would watch.

For decades, *Shaktimaan* has been advising – but nobody's been listening. So he transforms into an angry, old man just beating up people. Giving 'Stone Cold Lukewarm Stunners' to people taking the 'wrong route' in traffic. Chokeslams to those who spit in public. Handing out 'Sweet Chin Music' to those who pee by the roads. Different kinds of adharma require different heroes. We have tried rules, fines, and punishments. What we need is a superhero who will slap basic civic courtesies into idiots on the roads. Now, that's a show I'd watch!

(The writer's views are personal)

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CHANGE OF NAME

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) PRADEEPA S R, residing at No. 54/1, 3rd Floor, T.L. Chinnaswamy Compound, 5th Cross, Chikkathayappa Reddy Layout, Rupena Agrahara Madiwala, Bangalore South, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) PRADEEPA S R** to **(NEW NAME) PRADEEP S R** vide affidavit Dated 04/11/2024 sworn before Notary S.Jayanth, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) BHARATHI, spouse of No.1374999P, Ex-HAV, CHANDRA SHEKHAR SHEELIN, residing at #7, 3rd Cross, Subbanapalya, Krishnappa Layout, Veerabadrappa Main Road, Bengaluru 560033, have changed my name to **(NEW NAME) BHARATHI C SHEELIN** and DOB from 01.01.1972 to 01.07.1972 vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn before Notary S.I.Balaguru, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) JAYAMMA KEREKODI DHARMAIAH GOWDA,** W/o Nanjappa Kelaginamane Appaiah Gowda, age 70 years, R/at NO. 51/1, Raghavendra Badavane, 3rd Block, Soppugudde Thirthahalli, Shimoga-577 432, presently camped at Bengaluru City, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **JAYAMMA** to **JAYAMMA KEREKODI DHARMAIAH GOWDA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **JAYAMMA KEREKODI DHARMAIAH GOWDA** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 12-11-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU B.N.** at Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SYED ARMAN,** son of Syed Matheen Ahmed, residing at #88, Police Road, Chickpet Bangalore- 560 053, have changed my name to **SYED ARMAN AHMED,** vide affidavit dated:12.11.2024, before Notary **L.Gopalakrishna,** Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Mrs. ZAIBA IMTIAZ,** Aged about 36 years, Daughter of Imtiaz Ahmed, R/a No. 149, 1st Floor, 5th Block, 2nd Main Road, HBR Layout, CMR Garden, Kalyanagar Post, Bangalore - 560 043, do hereby declare that, my true and correct name is **Mrs. ZAIBA IMTIAZ** in advertently in the concern authority of Aadhaar has wrongly spelled as mentioned as **ZAIBA IMTIYAZ** vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn to before C. Sharada, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SHAKUNTALA DEVI, is legally mother of 15229385F, Rank NK, Name Pratap presently residing at Vill- Gaderi, Mainpuri, The Mainpuri, Dist Mainpuri, State UP
have changed my name from SHAKUNTLA to SHAKUNTALA DEVI
for all purposes, vide Affidavit dated 12-11-2024 sworn before advocate and notary L.B. Anasuyamma, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, MANAVI KESARIKE VISHWANATH, Residing at Wilson Manor Apartment No. B-006, 13th Cross, Wilson Garden, Bengaluru-560027,
have changed my minor Son's name from
ADVAY PREETHAM to ADVAY GOWDA
vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 before Notary G.R. RAJANNA, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) KALAVATHI, mother of No.15328933W, HAV, PRASADARAO KANITHI, residing at Door No.2-2, Main Veedhi, Koppalapeta (Vill), Kotabommali (Tk), Jarjangi (Post), Srikakulam (Dist), Andhra Pradesh (State) PIN: 532195, have changed my name to **(NEW NAME) KANATHI KALAVATHI** and DOB from 01.01.1965 to 01.07.1960 vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn before Notary S.I.Balaguru, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) P BABY, mother of No.JC-313614A, SUB, ARUL BABU P, residing at Kalkere Vijayalakshmi Layout, Horamavu (Post), Ramamurthy Nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka (State), PIN: 560113, have changed my name to **(NEW NAME) BABY P** and DOB from 01.07.1960 to 15.06.1962 vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn before Notary S.I.Balaguru, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **DEEKSHITHA THOTA,** W/o Thota Ramesh, age 32 years, R/at No. 87, 2nd Main, 1st Cross, Spoorthy Nagar, Arehalli, Bengaluru-560 061 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **DHEEKSHASHREE .V** to **DEEKSHITHA THOTA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **DEEKSHITHA THOTA** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 12th Nov. 2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **J. AGASTYA,** S/o. Mr. Jayakeerthi S, Aged about 10 years, since he is minor represented by natural guardian his father Mr. Jayakeerthi S, residing at No. 441, Brahmaputra River Road, Srinagar, Bangalore South, Banashankari, Bengaluru, do hereby declare that I have changed my minor son's name from **MOKSHIL .J** to **J. AGASTYA** vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn to before Mamatha N.K, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHIVALINGAIAH K,** aged about 58 years, residing at # 392, 1st Main 4th Block, Bangalore North, Nandini Layout, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560096, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHIVA LINGA KEMPAIAH** to **SHIVALINGAIAH K,** vide affidavit dated 12.11.2024, sworn to before A. Manjula, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **GIRIJA M** W/O Dhayalu Anandur R/O-183/2A, Shivshakti Nilayam, 2nd Cross, Kulla Reddy Layout, Mico Layout, Begur, Bangalore South, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560068, declare that name of my Husband has been wrongly written as **DAYALAN** in my Voter ID card No. YER5699442, The actual name of my Husband is
DHAYALU ANANDUR
vide Affidavit dated 11-11-2024 sworn before advocate and notary Deepa .M, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VINAYAK M BHAT** S/o Late. Mahabaleshwara Bhat, Residing at A-004. Affinity Souparnika Apartments, 3rd Cross, Jakkur Main Road, Shivanahalli, Yalahanka Bangalore-560064 Karnataka, India have changed my name from **VINAYAK BHAT** to **VINAYAK M BHAT** vide affidavit dated 12-11-2024 sworn before notary Mohammed Hussain K. Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) G MAXALIN DEENA, spouse of No.15332905F, HAV, GANAPRAGASAM R, residing at Kallery (Vill), Kallery (Post), Gingee (Tehsil), Villupuram (Dist), Tamil Nadu (State), PIN: 604151, have changed my name to **(NEW NAME) MAXALIN DEENA** vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn before Notary S.I.Balaguru, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SARITHA DHANANJAYA,** W/o. Dhananjaya R K, residing at #118-7, S S Parkview, 7th B Cross, Chennammakere Achhakattu, Banashankari III Stage, Bengaluru 560085, have changed my name to **SARITHA RANJAL DHANANJAYA** vide Affidavit Dated: 12/11/2024, sworn before Notary GANGARAJU.B.N, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHWETHA .M,** D/o. R. Muniraj, aged about 19 years, R/o No.1500 BDA Quarters 38th Block 3rd Stage Austin Town Vivek NagarPost Bengaluru-560047 require change of name in my NIOS Secondary Marks Card i.e. my name from **SWETHA .M** to **SHWETHA. M,** Father name from **MUNIRAJA RAMAKRISHNA** to **R. MUNIRAJ,** Mother name from **SAVITHA MUNIRAJA** to **SAVITHA R,** vide affidavit dated 22/07/2024 before Notary **B.M.Chandrashekar,** Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PATTABHI .V** S/o Venkatesh, Aged about 38 years, residing # 107/1, Rampura Main Road, K.Chansandra, Bengaluru-560043, have changed my son's name from **SHASHANK .P,** to **P. SHASHANK NAIDU,** vide affidavit dated 12/11/2024, sworn before advocate notary K.B.SADAHA SHIVAPPA, Bengaluru.

DECLARATION
I, **BHADRIRAJU SAI LAKSHMI,** aged about 43 years, W/o Bhadriraju Prasanna Viswanath Rao, R/at #25/7, 1st Floor, Shaneswara Devastana Lane, Near Euro School, Srinivasapura, Yelahanka, Bengaluru -560064. I further declare that **BHADRIRAJU SAI LAKSHMI** and **KUNCHALA SAI LAKSHMI** and **SRI LAKSHMI KUNCHALA** are one and the same person and my correct name is **BHADRIRAJU SAI LAKSHMI.** Vide affidavit dated 07-10-2024 sworn before notary S.R. Ravikumar, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ANNIE SUNEETHA KUMARI WILSON PRAKASH, aged 39 years, W/o. John Ruben, Resident of No.101, Coston Block Champion Reefs, Bangarapet, Kolar Gold Field-563117,**
have changed my name to
ANNIE SUNITHA
vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 before Notary P. N. NAGESHA, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NISHANT KANTILAL PATEL** Aged about 42 years, resident of House No.20, KRK Urban Ville, Gunjur Palya Road, Gunjur, Bengaluru-560087, Karnataka, India, have changed my name from **NISHANT KANTILAL PATEL** to **NISHANT PATEL,** vide affidavit dated 12-11-2024 sworn before notary H.G. Padmanabha Rao, Reg. No.12464, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LAKSHMIKESHAVA BASAVAPATNA SHESHAKRISHNA,** S/o. Sheshakrishna Basavapatna Subbaraya, residing at #759, Brigade Meadows Plumeria Life Style, 7th Floor, Tower-I, Kanakapura Road, Bengaluru 560062, have changed my name to **LAKSHMIKESHAV BASAVAPATNA SHESHAKRISHNA** vide Affidavit Dated: 12/11/2024, sworn before Notary GANGARAJU.B.N, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LEELA,** legally wedded spouse of No.266470, Ex-SGT JACOB MAMMEN, presently residing at #195, 2nd Cross, Church Road, New Thippasandra, Bengaluru 560075, have changed my name from **LEELA** to **LEELA JACOB** vide Affidavit Dated: 12/11/2024, sworn before Notary **C.V.EARAPPA,** Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mani .A,** Aged about 42 years, S/o. Armugam, R/o. # 583/2/C, Doddakrishnappa Layout, Near Sun Rice School, Nagashettyhalli, VTC Bengaluru North, RMV Extension II Stage, Bengaluru - 560 094, do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **Brindha** to **M. Brindha** vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn to before Chandrashekaraiah .S, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHANTHAMMA** aged about 66 years W/o **SIDDARAMU** R/at No.110, 2nd Cross, Basaveshwara HBCS Layout, Vijayanagar Bangalore- 560040 I Declare that **SHANTHAMMA, SHANTHA K.M & SHANTHASIDDARAMU** all the above names belong to me only Henceforth I Shall be Called as **SHANTHAMMA** for future procedings vide affidavit dated: 11/11/2024 Before Notary **M.K.Devaki** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **HUSSAIN SHABBIR, Age 39 years, S/o. Shabbir M Madraswala, resident at Flat No. A-1, First Floor, Sri Geetha Residency, No. 21, 3rd Cross, Lalbagh Siddapura, Jayanagar 1st Block, Bangalore-560011,**
have changed my name to
HUSSAIN S MADRASWALA
Affidavit dated 12-11-2024 sworn before advocate and notary Lakshmaiah, Bangalore

AFFIDAVIT
I, **GURURAJ HALASWAMY BETAGERI,** S/o Halaswamy Dundappa Betageri, aged about 41 years, No. I-701, Nagarjuna Meadows Phase 2, Doddaballapura Main Road, Puttenahalli, Yelahanka, Bangalore, Karnataka-560 064. I state that, in my Aadhaar Card & Pan Card my name is mentioned as **GURURAJ HALASWAMY BETAGERI** & in my Marks Sheet mentioned as **GURURAJ H BETAGERI** & in my Passport surname is mentioned as **BETAGERI** & Given name as **GURURAJ.** Hereby declare that, above said names are one & the same and it refers to me only, vide Affidavit dated 08.11.2024, Sworn before Advocate and Notary Chandrakala, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MITAL JITESH BHIMRAJ** (New Name), W/o. Jitesh Bhimraj, residing at No. 20, 1st Floor, 1st Cross Road, Tata Silk Farm, K. R. Road, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560070, Karnataka, India, that I have changed my name from MITAL PIYUSH VORA (Old Name) to MITAL JITESH BHIMRAJ (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as MITAL JITESH BHIMRAJ (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 11/11/2024, before Notary MOHAMMED HUSSAIN. K, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHYAMALA VIJAY,** age 46 years, R/at No. 320, 2nd Main Road, New Avalahalli BDA Layout, BSK 3rd Stage, Bangalore-560 085 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHYAMALA VIJAY KUMAR** to **SHYAMALA VIJAY,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SHYAMALA VIJAY** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 11-11-2024, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S.N. MADHU** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ALFIA HUZAIFA ALI,** D/o. Rajab Ali, residing at # 26/7, Ground Floor, 3rd BCross, 24th Main, BTM 2nd Stage, Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru 560075, have changed my name to **ALFIA RAJAB ALI,** vide Affidavit Dated: 12/11/2024, sworn before Notary **MEER HASSAN,** Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Akshay Kumar B,** S/o. Bheemanna, Aged about 20 years, R/at No. 247, 1st Main, Nanjappa Layout, Adugodi, Bengaluru - 560 030, do hereby declare that, my father's true and correct name mentioned as per my Aadhaar Card and PAN Card as **Bheemanna.** I state that my father's name mentioned as per SSLC Marks Card and as per my PUC Marks Card and my education records as **Bhimanna Kombin** instead of **Bheemanna.** I state that my father's true and correct name is **Bheemanna.** Vide affidavit dated 12.09.2024 sworn to before L. Gopalakrishna, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KAMINI NIHALCHAND THAKKAR, resident of 510A, Aikya Prithvi Block A, B G Road, Kalena Agrahara, Bangalore-560076**
have changed my name to
KAMINI MUNESH TIWARI
Affidavit dated 12-11-2024 sworn before advocate and notary B M Chandrashekar, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KHUSHI BHARDWAJ, aged 23 years, D/o. Vimal Kumar Bhardwaj, Resident of No. 66, Sai Enclave Garden, 2nd Cross, 2nd Main, Behind R T Nagar Group of Institutes, Singanayakanahalli, Yelahanka, Bengaluru -560064,**
have changed my Father's name from
VIMAL BHARDWAJ to VIMAL KUMAR BHARDWAJ
vide affidavit dated: 11.11.2024 before notary SIVAKUMARA .M.N., Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, PUSHPA P A, aged about 44 years, W/o. Krishna P P, Residing at: No. 20, Addevishwanathapura Road, Near H P Gas, Rajanukunte, Bangalore, Karnataka 560064, have changed my name from **PUSHPAVATHI P A** to **PUSHPA P A,** vide affidavit dated 12/11/2024 sworn before G.R.Ravichandra Reddy Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) RAMA RAO, father of No.15328933W, HAV, PRASADARAO KANITHI, residing at Door No.2-2, Main Veedhi, Koppalapeta (Vill), Kotabommali (Tk), Jarjangi (Post), Srikakulam (Dist), Andhra Pradesh (State) PIN: 532195, have changed my name to **(NEW NAME) KANITHI RAMARAO and DOB from 01.07.1957 to 01.01.1955** vide affidavit dated 11.11.2024 sworn before Notary S.I.Balaguru, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Nirmala Basanagouda Hansi** aged about 46 years, doing advocacy and resident of No.1762, 6th Main Road, D Block 2nd Stage, Rajajinagar, Bangalore - 560010, have changed my name from **Nirmala B Hansi** to **Nirmala Basanagouda Hansi,** vide affidavit dated 6/11/2024 sworn to before Sumithra.N advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mrs. VIMALA.N.A** W/o Neelakant.V.A. Residing at No.10, 8th Cross, Sir. M.V.Nagara, Rammurthy Nagar, Doora ani Nagar Post, Bangalore-560016. Do Hereby declare that as per my Aadhar Card my correct name is **VIMALA.N.A** but in my Husband's service record bearing PPO No-222200100039, it is mentioned as **VIMALABAI ANADAWADE.** Both the names belong to me only, request the concerned authorities to change the name as **VIMALA.N.A** vide affidavit dated 12.11.2024 sworn to before **Udayakumar,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **JAVEED AHMED** S/O SHAIK MAHBOOB KHALIL age about 30 years, doing working in MNC Company and resident of No.94, 7th Main, 3rd Cross, Rajendranagar, Koramangala, Bangalore South, Bengaluru - 560047, have changed my name from **JAVEED AHAMED KHALIL** to **JAVEED AHMED,** vide affidavit dated 4/11/2024 sworn to before R.S.Vijay advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MOHAMED TAIFUR** S/o Mohammed Dilaver. aged about 16 years, residing at No 207 2nd Floor HMJ Residency, 2nd Main Road, Coconut Garden, T Dasarahalli, Bengaluru-560057, I declare that have changed my name from **Mohmmad Taifur** to **Mohamed Taifur** and changed my father name from **Mohmmad Dilavar Sharif** to **Mohammed Dilaver.,** vide affidavit dated 11/9/2024 sworn before Anuradha.D advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **CHANGE OF NAME** I, **NISHANT KANTILAL PATEL** Aged about 42 years, resident of House No.20, KRK Urban Ville, Gunjur Palya Road, Gunjur, Bengaluru-560087, Karnataka, India, have changed my name from **NISHANT KANTILAL PATEL** to **NISHANT PATEL,** vide affidavit dated 12-11-2024 sworn before notary H.G. Padmanabha Rao, Reg. No.12464, Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **GURURAJ HALASWAMY BETAGERI,** S/o Halaswamy Dundappa Betageri, aged about 41 years, No. I-701, Nagarjuna Meadows Phase 2, Doddaballapura Main Road, Puttenahalli, Yelahanka, Bangalore, Karnataka-560 064. I state that, in my Aadhaar Card & Pan Card my name is mentioned as **GURURAJ HALASWAMY BETAGERI** & in my Marks Sheet mentioned as **GURURAJ H BETAGERI** & in my Passport surname is mentioned as **BETAGERI** & Given name as **GURURAJ.** Hereby declare that, above said names are one & the same and it refers to me only, vide Affidavit dated 08.11.2024, Sworn before Advocate and Notary Chandrakala, Bangalore.

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Kichcha Sudeep unveiled the film's trailer, directed by Nagaraja Somayaji and produced by RJ Pradeepa's Sakkath Studio

MARYADE PRASHNE IS A STORY ROOTED IN THE HEART OF BENGALURU

A SHARADHAA

THE team behind *Maryade Prashne* has received a major boost from none other than Kichcha Sudeep, who digitally released the trailer on social media. The trailer is now available on Sakkath Studio's YouTube channel, and appreciation has already been pouring in for it. Sudeep himself shared his thoughts, saying, "I really liked the trailer. It was cut in a way that reveals plenty yet leaves you curious. The film feels unique, and the work done in every department is excellent. I'm proud of the direction Kannada cinema is heading."

His endorsement has only added to the growing excitement surrounding the film, with many personalities, including RJs, actors, doctors, directors, and entrepreneurs, praising its storytelling and production.

RJ Pradeepa, the producer behind Sakkath Studio, spoke about his vision for the film and the support he received from Sudeep: "Growth is never a solitary journey; we all need support and guidance to truly thrive. The entire industry came together to promote this film from its title, creating a buzz from day one." He continued, "As a radio jockey for 16 years, I've had the privilege of connecting with Bengaluru in ways few can. With Maryade Prashne, I wanted to tell a story deeply rooted in this city—its pulse, its people, and its challenges."

Pradeepa also credited Sudeep's support, noting that the two share the affectionate nickname "Deepu." "Sudeep has always been a huge supporter of my work. When he saw the trailer, he loved it. It's not just a personal connection—it's the kind of camaraderie that helps projects like these succeed," he added.

The trailer launch also saw a show of solidarity from emerging directors in Kannada cinema, including Shashank Soghal, Sindhu Srinivas Murthy, and Nithin Krishnamurthy. Director Nagaraja Somayaji remarked, "This is a turning point for Kannada cinema," adding, "Authentic storytelling always resonates with the audience. Kannada cinema has a rich legacy, and by staying true to our roots, we're taking it to the world."

Sakkath Studio, known for its commitment to bringing refreshing, relatable, and rooted stories to the screen, has set its sights on producing two impactful projects each year. "With Maryade Prashne, we are making our first bold step into feature filmmaking, and we aim to spark conversations, inspire, and touch hearts," Pradeepa said.

The film features Arjun Ramu's music, Sandeep Velluri cinematography, and a script by Pradeepa. *Maryade Prashne* is scheduled to release in theatres on November 22.

At the trailer launch of Maryade Prashne

Vasishta Simha

Vasishta Simha goes pan-India with Tribanadhari *Barbarik*

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VASISHTA Simha is all set to join the pan-India wave with *Tribanadhari Barbarik*, a film set to release in multiple languages. Known for his striking performances in Kannada cinema, Vasishta has earned recognition for his ability to effortlessly transition between intense and nuanced roles, with his deep, commanding voice being a standout feature. After making his mark in Telugu with Narappa and Odela Railway Station, Vasishta is now set to take on a groundbreaking role that will elevate his career across multiple languages.

Tribanadhari Barbarik marks the debut of Vanara Celluloid, a new production company. Directed by Mohan Srivatsa and produced by Vijaypal Reddy Adidhala, the film is presented by popular director Maruthi. The recently released motion poster has already generated excitement, offering a glimpse into the film's unique blend of mythology and modern elements. The story follows Barbarika, Ghatotkacha's son and Bhima's grandson, showcasing his legendary skill of shooting three arrows simultaneously. The poster hints at a larger-than-life hero whose feats have been overlooked by history while blending ancient texts with contemporary elements—such as a gun—offering a fresh take on mythology.

The Infusion Band composed the film's soundtrack. Alongside Vasishta, the ensemble cast includes Satya Raj, Sanchi Rai, Sathyan Rajesh, Kranthi Kiran, Motta Rajendra, VTV Ganesh, Udayabhanu, and more. Kushendar Ramesh Reddy helmed the cinematography department, Marthand K Venkatesh and Srinivas Punna led the art direction, and Ram Sunkara directed the action sequences.

With the shoot wrapped up, *Tribanadhari Barbarik* is now in post-production, preparing for its multi-language release, marking a new chapter in Vasishta Simha's career.

Dasavarenya Sri Vijayadasaru part 2 launched

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DASAVARENYA Sri Vijayadasaru Part 2 was officially launched with a traditional muhurat ceremony at a temple on Tuesday. At the event, Vidwan Shri Satyadhyanaacharya unveiled the first scene of the film, and Smt Tejaswini Ananth Kumar performed the camera switch-on. Naresh Kumar and renowned classical singer Prasanna were also part of the event.

Actor-producer Trivikram Joshi, who is backing the project under the banner of SPJ Movies, shared, "I am playing the role of Vijayadasaru in the film. The first instalment of *Dasavarenya Sri Vijayadasaru* was well-received by all, and the second part is being launched during the Aradhana period of Vijayadasaru." He added, "Director Madhusudhan Havaldar brought me into this project, which is set to feature about ten films based on the life of the Haridasas. He was my mentor, and I recently discussed making a film about him with the wife of the late politician Ananth Kumar."

The team announced the official commencement of the film and ensured that it would be ready in the next four months. Filming will take place in locations such as Hampi, Anegundi, and Srirangapatna. The film will feature nine songs, and the screenplay and dialogues have been written by JM Prahlad. The star cast includes Trivikram Joshi, Prabhjanan Deshpande, Sharath Joshi, and Srilatha Bagewadi.

In search of redemption

Filmmaker Jacques Audiard discusses his film *Emilia Perez*, the protagonist's quest to discover their true self, its portrayal of philanthropy in a drug trade setting, and more

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FRENCH filmmaker Jacques Audiard's *Emilia Perez* tells a layered story about a powerful figure, Juan "Manitas" Del Monte (Karla Sofía Gascon), who embarks on a profound journey of self-exploration. A film with dialogues in French, Spanish, and English as well as music as an integral part of the storytelling, *Emilia Perez* is a testament to Audiard's skill as a filmmaker and his ability to craft complex and compelling narratives. The film, which had its world premiere at the 2024 Cannes Film Festival, is dropping on Mubi in India soon. The cast also includes Zoe Saldana as an attorney named Rita Mora Castro and Selena Gomez as Jessi Del Monte, key figures in the world of the drug cartel.

The film explores themes such as redemption and forgiveness, as well as the impact of cyclical violence within the drug cartel and systemic inequality. However, it mainly delves into the complex relationship between gender identity and biological sex, the challenges of gender affirmation surgery, and the impact of gender on societal roles and power dynamics. In a recent interview with *CE*, Neela Nira Sooriyan director Samyuktha Vijayan stated, "Sex is what you are biologically, gender is what you think you are." Responding to a question about it in the context of Emilia Perez, director Audiard echoes the sentiment, as he highlights the profound journey of individuals who do not align with their assigned sex. "I completely agree with that statement. It is one of the most provocative ideas that we still discuss. The topic would not have sprung up 20 or 40 years ago the same way it now does. When you think of a person born into a sex that they do not identify with, what do they go through before they can transition? There must be so many difficulties for them to be able to feel true to themselves." The filmmaker goes on to add, "*Emilia Perez* is born out of this topic, especially its protagonist Manitas, who exists in a patriarchal society with plenty of violence and virility."

One of the most fascinating aspects of *Emilia Perez* is how it explores the protagonist's odyssey of self-discovery from a societal perspective. Usually, in a film about the drug trade, a cartel boss does philanthropy to conceal the true nature of their existence. In Emilia Perez, the protagonist, after transitioning, does charity for redemption for her past crimes as a drug lord. Talking about this aspect, Audiard reveals, "Cartels in South America and Europe are very populist. There are villages there that depend on the cartels and their charity. That is how they buy the loyalty of the villagers. The second half of the film mainly delves into the protagonist's regrets for past mistakes and crimes and the need for redemption, which is very much a Christian concept. In that sense, *Emilia Perez* is almost like a Christian drama."

Another compelling aspect of the film is its exploration of identity and the complexities of perception. *Emilia Perez* delves into the idea that it is possible to express identity in various ways, often beyond the physical. The film highlights how some characters are able to perceive and connect with the protagonist's true self through subtle sensory cues and emotional bonds, while most others remain oblivious to it. Elaborating on this, Audiard shares, "There are such moments in the film, involving the main character, which create suspense. Like when the little boy recognises the presence of his father through touch and smell. If the other character recognises the character in the same way, the secret would spill out way too early and the story would be over then and there."

Stills from the film

Jacques Audiard

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Film: The Room Next Door

CINEMA WITHOUT BORDERS

In this weekly column, the writer introduces you to powerful cinema from across the world

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AT first glance, Pedro Almodovar's new film, *The Room Next Door*, his maiden effort in English, feels quite unlike any of his previous works. Even though it is more involving than his recent shorts—The Human Voice (2020) and Strange Way of Life (2023)—it still doesn't come across as emotionally lush and robust as his Spanish classics. In fact, at the start, the characters, their relationships, journeys in life and interactions with each other appear to be set up and defined with a conscious sense of detachment, leaving his loyal audience at a loss. However, Almodovar does eventually draw his viewers into his world, slow and steady, armed with spectacular lead performances from Tilda Swinton and Julianne Moore.

In his director's statement for the world premiere of the film at the Venice Film Festival, where it won the Golden Lion award for the best film, Almodovar talked about how his initial insecurity about making a film in English vanished at the first reading of the script with Swinton and Moore. "The language wasn't going to be a problem, and not because I mastered English, but because of the total disposition of the whole cast to understand me and to make it easy for me to understand them," he writes. Like most of his films, *The Room Next Door* is also a talkie, propelled by conversations between people.

Based on Sigrid Nunez's book What Are You Going Through, it begins with two close friends—Ingrid (Moore) and Martha (Swinton)—meeting each other after being out of touch for long. Having known each other in their youth, they went in different directions to come far in life. Ingrid became a successful novelist, while Martha turned into a war correspondent. The reconnection, however, comes at an inopportune time with Martha at a crossroads in life. As her predicament gets revealed, and she calls upon Ingrid to perform the most difficult task of her life, the quintessential Almodovar touches, which felt missing earlier, begin to populate the film.

At the very essence is the visual flair. Production designer Inbal Weinberg and cinematographer Edu Grau bring the trademark Almodovar imagery and grammar—the bold colour palette and vivid textures—to play in a hitherto alien context—America, more specifically Manhattan—to make it approximate the world of his films as closely as possible.

While staying true to his flamboyance, Almodovar fashions a quiet, intimate narrative to play out his favourite themes of families and friendships, how they are our biggest strengths while also being the cause of the excessive emotional baggage that often weighs us down.

As is the case in most of his films, *The Room Next Door* is fearlessly female. As Ingrid and Martha look back at their past and the ahead at the future, the film becomes a delectable documentation of women and their solidarities, their shared memories, longings and desires as well as the dilemmas of motherhood, that one central role they are expected to play to perfection. As Martha herself puts it, she could never be to her daughter what a mother is supposed to be. No wonder the film ends up belonging to Swinton and Moore and as Almodovar himself puts it, "the actors really tell the story". Almodovar manages to obliquely engage in larger contemporary debates within the personal world of the two women. He looks at the impact of war on individuals and families, with his characteristic irreverence and pugnacity, talks of sex as the best way to ward off the thoughts of death, takes on neo-liberals and the far right and asserts his loss of faith in people to do the right thing for the greater good.

But, more than anything else, *The Room Next Door* is perhaps his most inspirational film that talks about the power of positivity in the bleakest of times, of holding on to that one open window when all the doors appear to be getting closed. It's a celebration of the incredible human will and effort to stay in control of one's destiny even at one's most vulnerable moments. It's about the search for self-determination and sovereignty over one's being on the one hand and facing loss and bereavement with dignity on the other. It's an assertion of the continuity of life in the face of the inevitability of death.